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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Julius Marcus [julius-marcus@worldnet.att.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 3:53 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Cc: commets@saveoursound.org
Subject: Wind farm in Nantucket Sound

Gentlemen,

By way of introducing myself, I have been a sailor in the Massachusetts waters for 25 years, a past resident of Massachusetts and a current resident of Connecticut. Professionally, I have been a Senior Vice President of two Fortune Five Hundred companies; am currently retired.

The proposed wind farm would not make economic sense to the proposers of such enterprise if it weren't for the subsidies involved. Wind power is expensive and still questionable as to its reliability. It certainly is a serious modification of the intrinsic beauty of the setting and, in my humble opinion, will economically negatively impact the area.

It would be a crime to allow an enterprise to profit from Government subsidy by building an economically and ecologically unsound wind farm which will destroy the incredible and unique beauty of the Nantucket Sound. How can anyone support this devastating proposal except those few involved in the greedy benefits?

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: trina000@hotmail.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 4:00 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Please extend the public comment period on the Cape Wind DEIS

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alliance to protect nantucket sound

The thought of this project going forward brings tears to my eyes. As a local resident of Cape Cod I believe it is important to reconsider the proposed location of this project and plan to develop it in an area where it would not create such a negative impact on the lives of so many. As important as wind power might be, at what cost is it really worth? Please take a moment to put yourself in the shoes of the thousands that call Nantucket sound our home. I will support an alternative location, but I cannot support this.

Please immediately extend the public comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Cape Wind project to 180 days. Any shorter time period is entirely insufficient to allow the public ample opportunity to provide input on such a lengthy and important document on a complex and controversial project.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Trina Charbonneau

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Rene Pecoraro [randbp@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 4:08 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE; mepa@state.ma.us; admin@saveoursound.org
Subject: Say NO to Cape Wind

Dear Madam,

Please know I am against the proposed wind farm on Nantucket Sound. That's right, I'm a proud NIMBY! Because my backyard is a beautiful, undeveloped, piece of nature.

Even with the DEIR out, there are still too many problems, impacts, and issues that have not been satisfactorily answered. I don't feel the *possible* pros outweigh the *definite* cons.

Cape residents who can't back the Cape Wind project have nothing to be ashamed of, as we have all done our part, and continue to do our part financially with the Land Bank Tax.

Sincerely,

Rene Pecoraro
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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: beachplumdesigns@comcast.net
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 4:19 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Nantucket sound wind farm

I am writing to express my concerns for the proposed wind farm in Nantucket sound. I was born and raised on Cape Cod and have been sailing the waters of Nantucket Sound for 33 years. I have seen many wonderful sights on Nantucket sound, From Dolphins and Whales to hurricanes and water spouts. The coast of Cape Cod is not easy to navigate. I only foresee great tragedy for future sailors on the sound. In foggy conditions we have to be alert for other vessels, Now we must be prepared to come face to face with 300 giant wind mills in the fog on top of the many ferries, fishing vessels and private boats that sail our waters daily. The marine wildlife in the sound has seen some amazing creatures over the years and more and more marine mammals are entering the sound each year. I feel these wind turbines will kill many of our birds. there is a fascinating number of species out there year round. Whales, Dolphins and Seals will be run out of their home in the sound due to these turbines. I hope to share the beauty and gift of Nantucket Sound with my son someday. I hope that our backyard treasure is not ruined by greedy industrialization.
Thank you for your time and I hope you will save Nantucket Sound

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Loalyo@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 5:00 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Cod Wind Farm

Attention Ms Karen Adams

Dear Ms Adams, We would like to add our objections to the many who already are opposed to this wind farm project. We do not see any overall energy strategy from this administration and so to go about attacking our problem of energy dependence on oil without a plan that includes all types of energy generation and also lacks a conservation plan seems a waste of money and effort. You do not build a house by erecting one wall before you know what the house will look like when it is done.

We also strongly object to the use of a unique and pristine area that is owned by the public as a location for a private facility that is not feasible without the support of tax payer dollars.

Thank you for allowing us to voice our concerns. Please do not let this project go forward.

Lois & Alan Young
Harwich Port MA

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Harry Mangalam [hjm@tacgi.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 5:12 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Comments on the Cape Wind Project

To whom it concerns,

While I live in California and am not immediately impacted either positively or negatively by the Cape Wind project, it is an extremely important development for the United States. I am heartened that the Environmental Impact study has been completed and released and shows trivial negative impacts and huge positive ones. I strongly support the Cape Wind effort as a model for the rest of the nation to follow, especially California.

Objections that included bird kills, sea mammal disruption, negative effects on fishing and tourism, etc have all been reasonably evaluated and it looks like the net effect is strongly in favor of the project. The positive effects of the clean power generation and the demonstration of how such an effort can be moved forward with the one of the widest coalitions of government, environmental groups, commercial power companies, and citizen groups is a model for how such efforts be conceived and promoted in the future.

I look forward to seeing the 1st turbines go into operation at Cape Wind and with each turn of the mills, look forward to seeing the US dependence on foreign oil decrease and our national security and environment improve.

Sincerely,

Dr. Harry J Mangalam
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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: rosstpt@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 5:16 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

I have deleted the supportive message from MassPIRG concerning a wind farm on Nantucket Sound.

I am strongly NOT in favor of this project going ahead. It is inconceivable and inconsistent that this could be built by a private for profit corporation on public lands. It's very similar to we taxpayers paying the logging companies to reap profits in public lands. It will destroy a large area of natural beauty and wildlife for very little gain to the area. The same amount of funds put to conserving energy on Cape Cod would save far more energy. We can build windfarms in Nantucket Sound but we may have to stop clamming on Monomy flats. Yeah, that makes sense. It's all for private profit.

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: lgreenb@vineyard.net
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 5:24 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Please extend the public comment period on the Cape Wind DEIS

SAVE OUR SOUND
the alliance to protect nantucket sound

If you fly over the desert and mountainous region of Palm Springs toward L.A., you will see the enormous wind farms in the mountain ranges there. They are not near any shoreline, housing or environmental impact areas. It is a perfect place for them. They have an awful alien look to them. Like driving through miles and miles of cornfields in the mid West but there they are whoosing away, but again, out of homeowners' sites and sound, with little impact environmentally. Now, Nantucket Sound, what a visual abscess this will be. How can this be disputed? 5 miles offshore is not a 'thumb's eye view.' Have you considered Noman's Island for these? It would be less of a visual impact and have less impact on small and large vessels, air travel and danger to those travelling through those areas. Additionally, have you thought of your own credibility? How can you accept money for the study and then not have a conflict in determining whether it should be allowed? You are making a decision on a project you were paid to study? Let's see...no conflict there, right? This is a farce and will be a Pandora's Box if it is allowed. I think floating condominium projects, restaurants, hotels, casinos, and all other sorts of private ventures would then have to be allowed. Additionally, this electric power, which COULD power the Cape & Islands, will NOT power the Cape & Islands. It will be captured, put on a grid, and sold to be used elsewhere. How is that benefitting our areas? Yes, you have a lot to think about. This will be the project that will influence hundreds more and it is on your shoulders to be the stewards of these waters. I vote NO! and hope you do the same. Respectfully yours, Larry Greenberg, PT; MS; M.Ed. Martha's Vineyard

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Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Larry Greenberg

From: Michael D. Bossi [mbrossi@verizon.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 5:26 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Support for the Cape Wind project

Karen Kirk-Adams
Cape Wind Energy EIS Project
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District
696 Virginia Road, Concord, MA 01742

Dear Ms. Kirk-Adams,

I would like to express my support for the Cape Wind project for public record.

I believe we need more project like this, that produce energy through a renewable process. I believe the benefits of the project far out way the negatives. The reduction in pollution and dependence on fossil fuels are two of its the greatest benefits.

Please add this letter as support for the project

Thank you,
Michael Brossi

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Charlette Rooker [chrlltrooker@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 2:58 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Wind Power Hearing

I am unable to attend the hearing @Mattacheese School in Yarmouth 12/7/04 so I am sending my comments

I am a supporter of Wind Power. It is clean, safe, and quiet energy. I have witnessed Wind Farms off the coast of Santa Barbara, CA, in the desert en route to Indio, CA, and on the hilltops of the most beautiful country in the world, IRELAND. The structures do not mar the beauty of the hillsides and towns of Ireland. The people of Ireland do not have a problem with Wind Farms. They are growing fast and independantly and do not fear change. Greed for tourism is the reason for opposition of Wind Energy. Please, Cape Cod is in need of an energy source and the United States is in dire need of a heating source.

Overpopulation in our area is a good enough reason to start to build an alternative source of energies. Thank you,

Charlette K. Rooker 89 John Nelson Way, Harwich, MA 02645

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Eric Chivian [eric_chivian@hms.harvard.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:26 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: cape wind project

December 7, 2004

Karen Kirk-Adams
Cape Wind Energy EIS Project
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Dear Ms. Kirk-Adams:

As a physician who worked on the Cape for many years in the 1970s, seeing patients and leading various environmental initiatives, and as the Director of the Center for Health and the Global Environment at Harvard Medical School, I am alarmed at how little understanding there seems to be about the human risks of global warming, how the Cape Wind project has been so irresponsibly misrepresented, and how, as a result, people on the Cape and Islands may pass up an opportunity that would help preserve both their environment and their health. I am particularly alarmed at how some politicians, celebrities, business people, and environmentalists who should know better are placing their political and parochial interests above those of the common good.

Just what is at stake here?

1. The record increase in average global temperatures over the past century and the associated changes in global climate are caused mainly by our excessive burning of

fossil fuels. This fact is no longer the subject of any serious debate.

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2. These climatic changes have resulted in alterations of the Earth's physical and biological systems that have already had profound impacts on human health and well being. These include:

- ☐ Torrential rains and flooding in some areas, drought in others, and more violent storms, causing drownings and traumatic injuries, and affecting water supplies, agriculture, and property. The four intense hurricanes in Florida this Fall are a harbinger of things to come.

- ☐ Increased sea levels, resulting in greater storm surges and the erosion and flooding of coastal lands

- ☐ Heat waves such as that which killed over 18,00 people by official estimates during the summer of 2003 in France alone

- ☐ Worsening air pollution, triggering asthma attacks and causing sickness and death in those with chronic heart and lung disease

- ☐ The emergence and spread of some human infectious diseases, as the carriers of these diseases--mosquitoes and ticks-reproduce more rapidly and move into areas that had previously been too cold for them. Lyme Disease and West Nile Virus Disease may be examples of infections affected by climate change.

- ☐ And the widespread damage to species and ecosystems on land and in the oceans, including marine life and bird populations, driving some species to extinction. The Coral Reef Monitoring Network has just estimated that 70% of the world's coral reefs, the "rainforests of the oceans" in terms of species diversity, are either destroyed or are at risk of destruction, chiefly because of coral bleaching triggered by excessive sea surface temperatures.

3. The changes we have seen to date are the result of an

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average warming of the Earth's surface over the past century by only about 1 degree Fahrenheit. What will happen if the Earth warms by over 10 degrees Fahrenheit, which is the worst case scenario (if we do not change our ways) predicted by the international scientific community for the year 2100? To put this in context, 10 degrees Fahrenheit is the amount the planet has warmed since the end of the last ice age 20,000 years ago, when much of New England was under a glacier one mile thick.

If we do not begin to curb our appetites for fossil fuels and start practicing significant energy conservation measures for our homes, buildings, vehicles, and appliances, and if we do not embrace major renewable energy projects like Cape Wind (that could become a model for others in the U.S. and abroad), then global warming and climate change will continue to accelerate at great rates and life as we know it could become intolerable in coming decades. The fragile environment of the Cape and Islands and the health of its citizens would be at particular risk.

I believe that those who oppose this project have not understood what is at stake. The view of small turbines on the horizon, the minor inconvenience for some boat owners, and the minimal impacts on wildlife all pale by comparison with what awaits us if we do not significantly reduce our emissions of greenhouse gases, starting now.

If we defeat the Cape Wind project, we will have foreclosed an important first step towards protecting our children's health and the health of their environment, and we will have made a tragic and shamefully ignorant mistake.

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The Mission of the Center for Health and the Global Environment is to study and to promote a wider understanding of the human health consequences of global environmental change.

The Center believes that people will protect the natural environment when they realize its importance to their health, and to the health and lives of their children.

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: shartran@comcast.net
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:35 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Jan Theodore Galkowski [jtgalkowski@alum.mit.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:35 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind project, Nantucket Sound

ATTN: Dr Karen Kirk-Adams Cape Wind Energy EIS Project U.S. Army
Corps of Engineers, New England District 696 Virginia Road,
Concord, MA 01742

Dr Kirk-Adams:

I strongly support the construction of the Cape Wind wind energy production facility on Horseshoe Shoals, off Great Island in Nantucket Sound. I spent many years sailing in Lewis Bay and on Nantucket Sound growing up and believe this project would be a gorgeous and futuristic asset to the area and would become a tourist attraction in its own right. I vacationed there this summer with my kids, visiting my parents and brother, and we went fishing in Nantucket Sound. I cannot and won't, of course, speak for my parents and brother.

My vote for the project is in addition to my strong support for wind power as a source of energy. While I have no financial interest whatsoever in Cape Wind, nor in any other wind project, in Massachusetts, my wife and I do obtain, by choice, all our electrical power from 50+% renewables, including wind, through the NYSEG program allowing that (see <http://www.nyseg.com/green.php>), as well as owning "wind energy certificates" for 150% of the annual KWH we use in our home. (See <http://www.nyseg.com/nysegweb/webcontent.nsf/doc/PrdCtw> and <http://www.newwindenergy.com/>.) These provide incentives and funds for developers to build wind energy facilities across New York State, like the large project being considered in Oneonta (see http://www.nyse-rda.org/press/2002/governor_and_others/govaug20_02.html).

Best wishes for a successful series of town meetings this week, as well as good wishes for the holiday and a healthy and happy new year.

-- Jan Theodore Galkowski, Endicott, NY.

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Jan Theodore Galkowski (o°)

"Nature bats last." -S.O'Hara, 1989

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: AFish@parker.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:39 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Cc: Save Our Sound
Subject: RE: Save our Natural Treasure

I am a Massachusetts resident of both Bolton and W. Harwich. I also spend many days sailing out on Nantucket Sound and fishing the shoals as well. The installation of over 130 generators in what should be a protected geographical area would curtail the use of this area by several thousand people who have enjoyed it for so many decades.

The navigational hazards it poses in addition to the unknown environmental impacts will be devastating to the area.

But most importantly is the "marketing spin" this is being given by Cape Winds - ie. the alledged savings there will be to the Cape residents in terms of electrical costs. All the reports I have read indicate there is a range of no savings at all to \$30 per year. As a Cape resident and customer of the electrical utility supplied there, this "savings" is absolutely NOT WORTH the privatization and destruction of Nantucket Sound.

I dare say the environmental organizations would successfully block any similar development of the National Seashore on outer Cape or Monomoy Island - How is Nantucket Sound any different?

Why can't someone look at harnessing the Cape Cod Canal current and the current through Woods Hole - unlike the wind this energy is guaranteed 100% of the time !

Please do whatever you can to stop the privatization of Horseshoe Shoals - Cape Cod's natural treasure.

Please let me know what I can do to help you with your efforts.

Thank you

Allan Fish

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W. Harwich MA

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Chris Kapsambelis [chrisk@bdsCorp.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:55 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Wind energy project Draft EIS

To whom it May concern:

I found only one sentence that addressed the question of funding the Decommissioning of the site. This is insufficient. The cost of Decommissioning could easily exceed the installation cost. In most instances Decommissioning implies the removal of useful property and the abandonment of the remainder. Given that this property has little use anywhere else, the whole site could be abandoned.

This is a new venture. New ventures are known for their very high rate of failure (about 90%). The chances are that this venture will fail. When it fails, please explain exactly who will pay for the Decommissioning and how extensive it will be.

Sincerely,

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Laurel Kearns [lkearns@drew.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:55 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind project public comments

I am writing in favor of the Cape Wind project for two reasons. First, having lived in Australia where there is quite a bit of wind energy development, I was quite impressed with the potential for wind energy in a time of growing fossil fuel derived energy problems, and I was not at all impressed by the claim of spoiled aesthetics at any of the many sites that I visited. Telephone lines are far more invasive of one's view! Second, as a citizen, I am very concerned about the reports of undue political lobbying against this project by a few wealthy, well-connected residents of expensive shore homes. Every power installation affects some community's aesthetic appearance, as does the mining of coal or coal-bed methane to run conventional power plants--what is vitally important about wind energy is that it doesn't destroy eco-systems, it doesn't pollute or endanger a community's health, it doesn't deplete natural resources. In other words, wind energy far more meets the standard of the greatest common good than any other current method of energy production. To allow a few wealthy and politically connected individuals to intervene behind the scenes is anti-thetical to the great political process of our country. In other words, it is unpatriotic and undemocratic!--

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: jgaberman@comcast.net
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 2:18 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Anita Lord [lordprograms@earthlink.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:03 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Draft Environmental Impact Statement

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December 7, 2004

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

Thank you for a thorough and objective study of the environmental impact of the Massachusetts Cape Wind Project on South Coast standard of living and quality of life.

I'm a Marshfield, Massachusetts resident and long-time environmental advocate. I know of your work to protect and preserve federal revitalization of U.S. resources and appreciate as well, your positive assessment of the Greenbush Rail Project's potential to alleviate the negative effects of automobile congestion and pollution along the already overburdened, Rte. 3 Corridor.

I first became interested in alternative energy sources as a consultant at Arthur D. Little, Inc.'s Solar and Laser Engineering Divisions. I also worked with the EPA to examine the effects of fossil fuels on stationary source combustion.

The positive effects of such self-sustainable, non-polluting energies as Wind power, are enormous in contrast to the harmful damage of excavating oil from already exhausted global supplies. Whether from an economic, environmental or purely aesthetic standpoint -- there's no question that methods designed for sun, wind and ocean energy use, are far more prudent choices to make.

It's regrettable we have not come further in advancing measures that capture our world's incredible, self-generating energy sources. I strongly believe the Cape Wind proposal makes sound use of our beloved Cape Cod's

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natural strengths while appreciating its fragile ecosystem. I'm hopeful your study findings will alert business, environmental and fishing interests alike to the long-term benefits of practicing clean methods of sustainable energy.

Anita Lord

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Nancy Eldredge [wuskowan@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:38 PM
To: Karen.K.Adams@asace.army.mil
Subject: Wind Farm?

Hello Ms. Adams,

Alternative energy is a marvelous thing! Most of us think that wind energy, or solar energy can help us. Water powered energy helps as well, however to have any of these directed upon us and dictated to us as We The People of this country, is wrong! To have one, huge, private company "assure" us that it is only a benefit for us to have 130 towering giants buzzing away over our waters is probably a lie. Since when are private companies to be trusted for the common good? Most developers are working for their own money and this project stands to make these developers a lot of dough!

If the precedence is set by allowing private companies to dictate to We The People, what else will follow?

The towers are too big, they will be noisy as is evidenced by one even in good working condition being noisy. What will 130 sound like? And when they creak and squeek and grind because they need repair, how will 130 be able to be repaired right away?

All the other objections that We The People have had need to be recognized and considered in a very serious way.

Where is our guarantee that our electric bills will go down significantly because of this wind farm? There is no guarantee! It is being pushed by a private company!

A private developers' company has been "given" 24 acres of We The People's land! Do we live in a time now where We The People are being led by a dictator? Think about this and really be afraid because if this wind farm is pushed through by anyone dictating what we can do with our land and waters, we have no freedom whatsoever!

Solar power is available. Towns and communities must think and put into action plans that help us use this power. Individuals can do much about this as well by putting some solar collectors on their properties.

There are alternatives to having us being railroaded by private interests.

Thank you for your time and I hope I am heard through this means, as I have been ill and cannot attend any of the meetings scheduled.

May we be guided by a universal logicalness, and sensibility. This wind farm as proposed, is illogical and nonsensical!

Sincerely and with love of the Earth,

Nancy Eldredge
West Chatham, MA.

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From: bcarroll@bu.edu
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:50 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: sstirling@comcast.net
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:43 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Please extend the public comment period on the Cape Wind DEIS



Please immediately extend the public comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Cape Wind project to 180 days. Any shorter time period is entirely insufficient to allow the public ample opportunity to provide input on such a lengthy and important document on a complex and controversial project.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Stirling Michele

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Judy Murphy [little.beacon@verizon.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:23 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Reference File No. NAE-2004-338-1

Dear Karen Adams, Cape Wind Energy Project EIS Project Manager:

I am writing to request that you deny the permit to install 130 wind turbine generators and associated cable in Nantucket Sound.

This area is a Marine Sanctuary, it's a public resource owned by the people and a private company has no right to spread itself out all over Horseshoe Shoal and affect so many of the public who use it. What if everyone tried to take a nice public area they enjoyed and tried to create a business for profit on it? Would that be allowed? No. Not ever.

This project in shallow water so close to shore will have a detrimental effect on fish habitat and bird migrations.

It would adversely effect all vessels navigating through the congestion of the wind farm, either on the water or in the air. They need more maneuvering room, both in the air and on the sea. The distance of 0.75 nm is too close to the shipping lanes.

Deny the permit, create state and federal regulations pertaining to the development of Industrial Ocean Parks, and put the alternative energy project out for bid. For we do need to develop alternative sources of energy.

Without a state and federal plan of regulation, we cannot regulate their operation; they'd be beyond the law and we couldn't make them conform.

This plan is too close to shore in an area that is too shallow; this plan would be the cheapest and easiest for Cape Wind to develop; and this private company wants public space at no cost with focus on reaping lots of profit. Think long term, not short term. Deny this permit.

This wind farm is doable but it can and should be built at a greater distance from the land where it won't bother anyone or anything and still be economically and environmentally sound.

Thank you.

Judy Murphy
13 Planting Field Wood
PO Box 5007
Edgartown, Ma 02539
508-627-8434

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Lisa Kent [lisa@capecodacademy.org]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 11:15 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: wind farm

December 7, 2004

Dear Karen Adams,

I am a fairly new transplant to Cape Cod. I have lived here for eight years and have just loved raising my two boys here. We live in Barnstable for the sole reason that I fell in love with Dowses beach and the view from it. I love the idea of coming up with clean safe ways to provide power to our community but I do not support, in any way the Wind Farm plan. I am a native Californian and grew up with beautiful ocean views until private oil companies built small drilling sites on the ocean floor. The pacific coast looks nothing like it used to. We all have one chance to save our beautiful Nantucket Sound for generations to come. Let reduce our electricity use and start thinking about other safe possibilities that would not take away from us the reason so many of us chose to live and play here. I am unable to attend the meeting on the cape tonight but please add me to your list of people who want to protect our ocean for generations to come.

Thank you, Lisa Kent

50 Osterville west Barnstable road, Osterville Ma 02655, 508-428-5400

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: yankeeladyusa [yankeeladyusa@comcast.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:03 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE; admin@saveoursound.org
Subject: Comments on Cape Wind DEIS

I have recently moved to the Cape after losing my job due to downsizing. I am now a self-employed Folk Artist, most of my business is done on Nantucket. I have teamed up with Paul McCarthy, a Nantucket Woodcarver. Our art is Early Americana and about the history of coastal New England. With are art we try to educate the perservance of our early ancestors. The Nantucket & Cape economy took a blow with the introduction of kerosene, rebuilt thier economy on tourism BECAUSE of our pristine enviroment BECAUSE it is a place to get away from industrialism but it now looks like that economy is now due for another blow. There is more at stake than cheaper energy and a few pennies saved on are electric bill, the fallout to this part of the country will be devastating.
Jean E. Petty

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: housewright@capecod.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 11:48 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Please extend the public comment period on the Cape Wind DEIS

SAVE OUR SOUND
alliance to protect nantucket sound

As the Captain of a vessel that frequently sails on Nantucket Sound, I am very concerned about the hazards to navigation that the wind farm turbines will cause in an area close to major shipping channels where fog is frequent and high winds, dangerous currents and shoals already make navigation in this area difficult. My wife and I are also concerned that a great portion of beautiful Nantucket Sound, an area that is a National treasure, is being proposed to be turned into an Industrial park--the equivalent of putting up skyscrapers in Yellowstone National Park. More time is needed to research the potential ill effects these structures will have on aquatic animals and birds in the area, as well as the visual pollution.

Please immediately extend the public comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Cape Wind project to 180 days. Any shorter time period is entirely insufficient to allow the public ample opportunity to provide input on such a lengthy and important document on a complex and controversial project.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

samuel winsper

Dear Army Corps of Engineers:

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A 60-day review period is unreasonable to adequately review the massive 4,000-page Cape Wind Draft Environmental Impact Statement document. I respectfully request that you extend the review period to 180 days in order for the public to be as best informed as possible and provide you with thoughtful and unhurried input on this precedent-setting project.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Stott

Date

12/02/04

Print Name

JONATHAN STOTT

Address

209 E. Bay Rd

City

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State

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Dear Army Corps of Engineers:

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Sincerely,

Dawn Nichols

Date

11/26/04

Print Name

DAWN NICHOLS

Address

PO Box 635

City

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Dear Army Corps of Engineers:

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Sincerely, Catherine Forns Anthony & Catherine Forns Date 12/10/04

Print Name _____

Address Box 480 H RRI

City Edgartown State MA Zip 02539

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I am writing you today to urge the
US Army Corps of Engineers require
that "Cape Wind" follow the USFWS's
Brid - research protocol and take steps
to minimize harm to birds, bats and
marine mammals.

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Thank you.

^{URG}
Doris Wurst, M, CNR, BC, QPHR



Doris Wurst
12170 N 102nd St.
Scottsdale, AZ 85260

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Sincerely,

Victoria Pešek

Date 11/26/04

Print Name

VICTORIA PESEK

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City

Warren

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Robert G. Ford

Retired

Karen Kirk Adams
Cape Wind Energy Project EIS Project Manager
Corps of Engineers, New England District
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751
Ref. file no. NAE-2004-338-1

Dear Ms. Adams:

I write in opposition to the Cape Wind project. The idea of renewable wind power for the generation of electricity is long overdue, and urgently needed, but not this project. The supporters are confusing the need for wind power with the wisdom of this project. Up front, I must explain that I am a plain citizen, with no water view to protect, or boat to weave in and out of the impediments proposed.

93 Alpine Avenue
Post Office Box 3449
Oak Bluffs, MA 02557
(508) 693-1526
jnbford@vineyard.net

I believe that the project should be rejected for the following reasons, not in order:

1. The project will interfere with not only small boat traffic, but also the SSA navigation routes.
2. Welcoming industrial development of taxpayer owned land I find inappropriate.
3. The towers and lights will be, I fear, more imposing than predicted.
4. Elected and appointed government officials urge caution, and delay, pending a comprehensive, rational policy covering such developments.
5. I am not convinced that birds and fish will not be impacted.
6. The effect upon finfish nursery areas within Horseshoe Shoals, is pure speculation, if not wishful thinking.
7. Bottom fishermen point out that buried cables seldom are, and perceive a hazard to their livelihood, already stressed.
8. To industrialize a resource such as Horseshoe Shoal is criminal. Other sites must be available with small loss in efficiency.
9. A study of potential damage from an oil leak ought to be done, given our experience and sensitivity.
10. The developer promises cheap electricity but, in reality, must ship his power to the grid. How will that help us?
11. How many similar projects are awaiting your decision, ready to come forward if this project is approved?

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12. The developer talks about free power. What about his \$ 800,000 investment. What is his payback period, and who pays for that?

I believe that both the developer, and the government must return to the drawing board, before passing judgment on this project.

Please reject this development!

Thank you very much for the opportunity to comment on this ground-breaking project. I believe your decision will have far-reaching consequences, for good or ill.

Sincerely:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert G. Ford". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly stylized font.

Robert G. Ford
Oak Bluffs
12/7/04

CC: MV Times
Vineyard Gazette
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85 Pine Tree Drive
Centerville MA 02632-3178
U. S. A.

30 November 2004

Ms. Karen Adams
New England District
U.S. Army Corps Of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord MA 01742-2751

Re: Cape Wind - Draft Environmental Impact Statement

Dear Karen Adams:

I am writing to cast my "vote" in favor of the proposal by Cape Wind to build a wind park on Horseshoe Shoal. Given current circumstances, this really seems like an idea whose time has come.

We currently face gasoline prices of \$ 2.00 per gallon and oil prices of \$ 50.00 per barrel. There is every indication that these prices will continue to increase. The cost for the natural gas we use to heat our house has been increasing every year.

When we moved to Cape Cod seven years ago, we had no idea that the air here on (pristine) Cape Cod was 50% more polluted than the air in Boston. This apparently is because Cape Cod is located in the downdraft of two fossil fuel power plants: Brayton Point and Canal Electric.

As a nation, we need to start developing alternative energy sources on a fairly urgent basis. To the extent that we can begin using wind power to generate some of our electricity, we will be reducing our costly dependence on imported oil and, at the same time, we will be reducing the emission of pollutants which currently float over Cape Cod.

The application by Cape Wind for a permit should be approved.

Sincerely,

William E. Griswold

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From: William E. Griswold <w.e.griswold@verizon.net>
To: <mpalmer@cleanpowernow.org>
Date: Tuesday, November 30, 2004 11:42 AM
Subject: Bird Kill By Source

**COPY FOR YOUR
INFORMATION**

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A U.S. study completed in 2001, and carried out by Western Ecosystems Technology for the National Wind Coordinating Committee puts wind turbine collisions into perspective:

Obstacle	Estimated Annual Bird Collision Mortality
Buildings	96,000,000
Vehicles	60,000,000
Communication Towers	4,000,000
Powerlines	100,000
Wind Farms	40,000
Total	160,140,000

Thus, in this study, wind farms account for less than 1/10 of 1% of the total. (The actual figure is 2 bird kills in 10,000!)

The study goes on to point out that the impact of wind turbines on birds fades into insignificance in comparison with the impact that domestic cats have on birds.

Source: National Wind Coordinating Committee (NWCC) Resource Document, Avian Collisions With Wind Turbines. A summary of existing studies and comparisons to other sources of avian collision mortality in the United States, as reprinted in AusWEA, a bulletin of the Australian Wind Energy Association (GPO Box 4499, Melbourne VIC 3001, Australia).

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Danske havmøller gav ideen til kæmpemæssig park i USA

Verdens måske største havvindmøllepark er ved at blive projekteret ved feriereder i det nordøstlige USA trods lokal modstand. Danske møller er inspirationen.

Regner Hansen, Ritzau,
Woods Hole, Massachusetts

130 køjsende møller skal hvis projektet gennemføres sættes op i havet i et naturskønt område mellem Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard og Nantucket. Det er tre fredssommelige feriereder i det nordøstlige USA, som fratrækker tiltrækkes velhavende amerikanere, og de er ikke begejstrede over udsigten til at få ændret den.

Projektet er gigantisk og kan blive USA's første havvindmøllepark. Inspirationen kommer fra især Danmark, som jo har erfaring med flere havvindmølleparker. Firmaet Cape Wind Associates, som står bag projektet, og tilhængere af parken har været på opdagelsesrejser i Danmark.

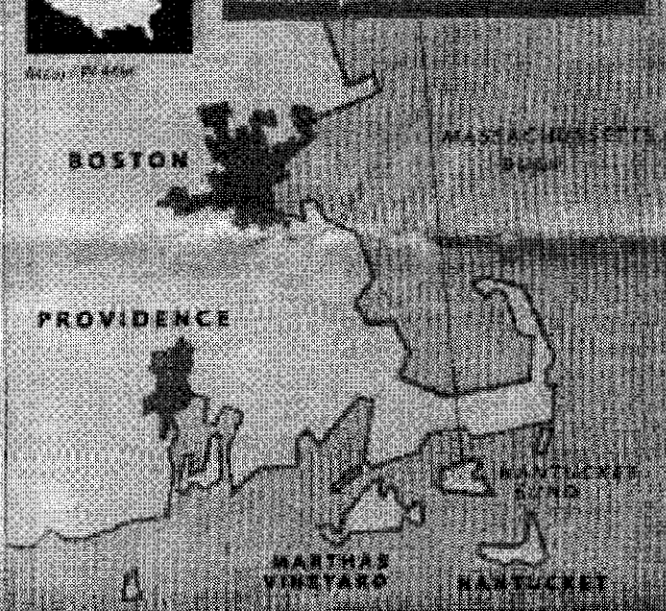
Der er stadig en mulighed for, at en dansk producent kan sikre sig ordren på møllerne, som skal være over 125 meter høje. Hele projektet er budgetteret til over 3,9

Gigantisk havmøllepark i USA

► USA's første havmøllepark bliver formentlig også verdens største. Projektet skal efter planen realiseres ved et naturskønt område i det nordøstlige USA. Udsigten til 130 møller på over 125 meters højde har vakt lokal modstand.



Vindmølleparken skal danke et område på 62 kvadratkilometer.



miljard kroner.

Cape Wind er et datterselskab under Energy Management, som er et elforsyningselskab i Massachusetts og omliggende delstater. Kommunikationschef i Cape Wind, Mark Rodgers, oplyser, at der ikke er mange potentielle placeringer af vindmølleparker ved den ameri-

kanske kyst. Der skal være kraftig vind, lavvande og lave bølger. Det viser målinger i Danmark.

Derfor er Stillehavskysten stort set ugunstet. På Atlanterhavskysten er Nantucket Sund et velegnet sted.

Kennedy brokker sig

Men prominente folk er ikke begejstrede for tanken. Den kendte tv-journalist Walter Cronkite deltog i en indledende fase i en kampagne mod projektet, og senator Edward Kennedy har opfordret til en genovervejelse af projektet ud fra hensyn til natur og turisme.

kanske kyst ingen som ifølge amerikagivning er den myndighed. Konkret i dokumentet på 4.000 sider er, at priserne vil forblive værende (høje) selv og færgeselskaber vil styrket, og fisk og øliv vil stort set være det.

Der findes også folketlig organisationer fortæller for havparken. Ren Strömder den. Denne om de sidste tyve år var de mange højvisuelle indvirkninger dette forhold blibort, da en gruppe bringer en stor perorganisationen bemærk i januar i år. Horns Bøve parken.

Havmølleparken starter 10. januar. Igers fra Cape Wind møllerne kan at anbringe i 2007.

Cape Wind har peget på GE Wind som en sandsynlig for af det store antal vindmøller til Nantucket Sund. amerikanske firma gøres erkender, at om valget af et af firma var politisk. Men afgørelsen er ifet endnu, indkøbet og en dansk producent fortsat komme på.

«Vi har en ønske for Vestas», oplyser Rodgers.

«Men uanset hvetrækker i sidste ende behov for rådgivning fra Da

"DANISH OFFSHORE
WINDMILLS INSPIRE VERY
LARGE WIND PARK IN
THE U.S.A."

POLITIKEN, COPENHAGEN, 30 NOVEMBER 2004

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Amy McGuire Kates

* P.O. Box 1090 * Cotuit, Massachusetts 02635 * (508) 420-0223 * FAX (508) 420-8732

November 30, 2004

Regarding.. **Save Our Sound**

The Army Corps of Engineers has released its report on the Cape Wind proposal to build a wind power plant in Nantucket Sound. A private consultant chosen and paid by Cape Wind largely wrote the report. Another consultant reviewing the research was also paid by Cape Wind. It is no surprise that the report was favorable.

This project, the worlds largest and the first US offshore wind plant, deserves a thoughtful and impartial review. This important document is roughly 4,000 pages. The public deserves more than 60 days to review the report and comment.

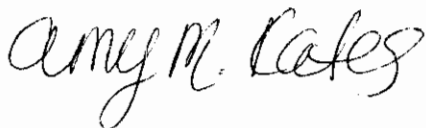
As you know, a private developer plans to take 24 square miles of public land (and perhaps even more if alternative sites are built) for free in the waters between Cape Cod and the Islands. This massive commercial project would be heavily subsidized by millions of your taxpayer dollars.

Our local economy, wildlife, boating and aviation safety, commercial and sport fishing, and the natural beauty of this area would all be affected by the industrialization of our offshore resources. By developing alternative energy responsibly and following a route of energy conservation, we can avoid trading off one environmental resource against another.

Please extend the public comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Cape Wind project to 180 days. Any shorter time period is entirely insufficient to allow the public ample opportunity to provide input on such a lengthy and important document on a complex and controversial project.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Amy McGuire Kates

Mail comments to: Karen Adams, Project Manager, Regulatory Division,
696 Virginia Road, Concord, MA 01742

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409 Broadway Avenue
Orlando, FL 32803

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30 November 2004

Karen Adams
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
New England District
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

Dear Ms. Adams:

I am writing with regard to the construction of wind turbines. As a citizen who is extremely environmentally conscious, I am generally very much in favor of them as an alternative to other environmentally damaging energy sources. However, I am quite troubled by the lack of environmental concern in the plans to erect wind turbines in Nantucket Sound of Massachusetts. I understand that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service recommended extensive studies to determine if this location is suitable, but this recommendation was ignored. This project has the potential to be very harmful to the surrounding wildlife. As I said, I fully support renewable energy, but it is important that in our efforts to solve energy problems we do not create new problems, especially for wildlife. I urge you to require that the USFWS's bird-research protocol be followed and take steps to minimize harm to our fauna.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

KJ Murray

Karen J. Murray

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: JPach10178@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 12:00 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Project

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am writing to comment on the prospect of a wind farm off the Cape Cod coast in Nantucket Sound. My name is Judith A. Pachter and I have a cottage on Cape Cod. I am VERY MUCH IN FAVOR of the wind project. I think that this country needs to find a way to reduce the use of fossil fuels and wind is an excellent way to do it. It is clean and I think, non-invasive. I recently traveled to Cape Breton Island and the one windmill in the area that I saw has become a tourist attraction. I think that the wind farm in Nantucket Sound will also be an attraction. This area is not "pristine" as it has much high speed boat traffic as well as constant use for fisherman. I think that the area will attract more fish for the fisherman and bring more folks to the cape. I do not see a down side and even if there was a proposed wind farm on Cape Cod Bay (where my cottage is), I would be in favor of it. If this country will not cut back, than we need new sources of energy and this would be a good start.

I am very concerned that if this project is not approved, it will discourage any development of wind energy in this country. If Cape Wind and it's owners are willing and able to finance this project, with government subsidy, than it needs to be approved. Your study has clearly shown that there is very little downside and much to gain.

Please do not allow the politicians (who have only their selfish motives) to delay this project any longer.

My permanent residence is 169 S. Broadway, S. Nyack, NY 10960.
Phone number is 845 353-4917. Below is my office information.

Judy

Pachter & Pachter, Inc.
One Hundred Twenty White Plains Rd.
Suite 135
Tarrytown, NY 10591
914 631-2900 x1522
914 631-1083 Fax

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: William E. Griswold [w.e.griswold@verizon.net]
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2004 10:59 AM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Cc: Senator@kennedy.senate.gov; John_Kerry@kerry.senate.gov; ago@ago.state.ma.us; William.Delahunt@mail.house.gov
Subject: FW: SV: How Many Wind Turbines At Horns Rev Are Now Back InService?

In reply to the suggestion by the Alliance that the Horns Rev wind farm is "being dismantled," the attached e-mail from Carsten Nielsen at Elsam in Esbjerg, Denmark confirms that, as of December 6, 2004, 75 of the 80 wind turbines at Horns Rev were back in service. The remaining 5 are undergoing pre-start testing before being returned to service some time this month. The success of the Horns Rev wind park is such that the Danish government has released plans for a Horns Rev Phase II, which will double the output at Horns Rev.

From: "Carsten Hyldgaard Nielsen" <cyn@Elsam.com>
Date: Mon, 6 Dec 2004 13:05:39 +0100
To: "William E. Griswold" <w.e.griswold@verizon.net>
Subject: SV: How Many Wind Turbines At Horns Rev Are Now Back In Service?

Dear Mr. William E. Griswold,

You are fully correct in your readings about taking the nacelles onshore for repair. The needed repair was in a extend that it would be to time costly and production loss to carry out the repair offshore.

Back in April/May the first nacelles was taken down. The nacelles was transported to Vestas Ringkøbing for repair, where all Vestas's support functions is located at thier factory - which you did see from your visit. At thier factory a dedicate area was pointed out with dedicated people to perform and supervision the repair.

All nacelles was reinstalled on the same location as taken down and here by the mid/end of November the last nacelles was reinstalled. Today 06/12-2004 09:30 - 75 of the 80 turbines are running. There are outstanding prestart tests to be done on the last 5 turbines.

Looking back a big/very big planning job was carried out before hand to make this happen. All this work offshore has been heavily weather depended and still able to do it inside approx 6 monuths.

Having been a part of this, Elsam has as a company learned some leasons which is taken into considerration when new offshore wind farm parks are planned.

Please also see Vestas's web page, link below.

http://www.vestas.com/dk/nyheder/presse/NewsSE_DetailDK_04.asp?ID=40

Please let me know if there is more that I can do and I am also very interested in how your meeting goes.

Best Regards

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-----Oprindelig meddelelse-----

Fra: William E. Griswold [mailto:w.e.griswold@verizon.net]

Sendt: 5. december 2004 01:51

Til: Carsten Hyldgaard Nielsen

Emne: How Many Wind Turbines At Horns Rev Are Now Back In Service?

Dear Carsten Nielsen,

Shortly after our tour to Esbjerg last January, we began to hear reports that there was a mechanical problem affecting each of the 80 wind turbines at Horns Rev. The needed repairs were said to be both costly and time consuming. As we understood it, each faulty nacelle would have to be lifted off its monopole, and then brought to Esbjerg Harbor. Then a replacement nacelle would have to be picked up at Esbjerg and taken to Horns Rev, for mounting on the existing monopole. Replacing all of the nacelles was projected to take most of 2004, with the wind park scheduled to be back in full operation by the end of this year.

Approval, or disapproval, of the application to build a 130 turbine wind park here on Nantucket Sound is now scheduled for some time in the Summer of 2005. Those of use who are in favor of the project here have pointed to Horns Rev as a good example of a wind park which has delivered significant economic benefit, with only minor environmental impact. Those who are opposed to the project say that Horns Rev is proof that offshore wind parks do not work, because all of the wind turbines there broke down.

In the December 4th issue of the Cape Cod Times, our major area newspaper, the opposition group has printed a full page advertisement. This includes the following rather outrageous statement: "The world's largest offshore plant, off Denmark, is being dismantled and brought to shore for repairs after only two years."

On Tuesday evening December 7th, here on Cape Cod, there will be a major public hearing about the 130 turbine wind park proposed for Nantucket Sound. We would very much like to be in possession of some information which would provide a rebuttal to the opposition statement quoted above. Can you say, for example, that 70 of the 80 turbines at Horns Rev are now back in service? Any positive information which you can send me on Monday would be greatly appreciated.

William E. Griswold
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Centerville MA 02632
508-771-1449 Home
508-771-3083 Fax
w.e.griswold@verizon.net

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: N9253N@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 1:57 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Subject: Nantucket Wind Farm

Dear Ms. Adams

I am writing as a resident of Cape Cod stating that we would like a 180 comment period in order to adequate time to review this document that you are going to put out. I think that as a resident of the cape that this would destroy the integrity of the sound and all that it has come to be to all of us. We are the people who loved our " VIRGIN " beaches the way that they are. I don't want a 40,000 gal oil drum sitting out in the sound waiting for potential disaster to happen. I don't think that putting these grotesque structures in our sound is going to help you generate that much wind to do something for power. All it is going to do is ruin our lives, and lively hoods for those that love the beaches and the sea. Running all these electric currents through our waters. How about cancer causing agents of these high voltage wires and things like that. As a beachcomber I want this project stopped and will get everyone else help to make sure that this doesn't happen and your project is stopped.

Melissa
Team in Training
Saving Lives one mile at a time!
Melissa's Team in Training Personal Page Check it out!

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Mary M. Masci [mmasci@feinmann.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 1:51 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Cc: res00wid@gte.net
Subject: Opposition to Cape Wind Farm in Nantucket Sound



Windfarm.doc

Dear Karen Adams,

We are writing to you to let you know our serious opposition to the Cape Wind Project. We have attached a document stating the reasons why. Please help stop this insanity.

Sincerely,

Mary & Joseph Masci

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December 8, 2004

Dear Karen Adams,

We are outraged by the proposed Nantucket Sound Cape Wind project for the following reasons:

- There will be 130 Wind Turbines 417 feet tall covering 24 square miles. All 130 towers are 143 feet taller than the top of the Sagamore Bridge!
- The offshore transformer will be 100' tall 200' wide and filled with 40,000 gallons of oil.
- The above items will be part of our ocean horizon along the entire south coast of Cape Cod and every beach that faces it including Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard. It will be lit at night with over 500 navigational lights and foghorns, visible and audible from every beach that faces it on Cape Cod, Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard.
- There has been no oil response plans including spill trajectories for Nantucket Sound and surrounding beaches and marshes.
- There will be a constant "whoosing" sound created by the 165' blades passing the 16' wide tower bases at over 150 m.p.h. and this sound will travel to shorelines and beaches.
- The 130 miles of high voltage cable which will be laid in the middle of these fishing grounds.
- A cost of \$28,000,000/yr for 10 years to the federal taxpayers - \$280,000,000 total. This is outrageous.
- A decline in our property values due to this project.

There has been discussion that turning Nantucket Sound into a Marine Sanctuary could save this project from going forward. If this is a true statement, please work to make this happen. Remember, this is our Nantucket Sound, our beaches, and our source of economic survival.

We are not opposed to finding alternative sources of energy but building this project at one of the country's most pristine area of seacoast is sheer lunacy.

We support your strong position against Cape Wind and the destruction of Nantucket Sound and your beaches. Please continue to fight this battle – this project must not be allowed to be developed.

Sincerely,

Joseph & Mary Masci
60 Michaels Avenue
Dennisport, MA

If you wish to contact us please e-mail us at: res00wid@gte.net or at our mailing address:
16 Fountain Road Arlington, MA 02476

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: JBGabriel@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 12:57 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Subject: Re:Save Our Sound

Dear Ms. Adams:

I want to go on record in the strongest possible terms as opposing the Cape Wind project to erect a wind farm on beautiful Nantucket Sound.

Just as one would not erect a wind farm in the Grand Canyon, also, one should not erect a wind farm in Nantucket Sound. Those proposing erection of such a wind farm appear to me to be nothing more than carpetbaggers interested in lining their pockets with US (Massachusetts) dollars.

Thank you for considering my comments and I hope you will bring them up at any regulatory hearings you may have on this issue.

Sincerely,

J. Bruce Gabriel
Captain, Armor, USAR (Retired)

J.B. Gabriel
45 Hayden Street
Marlborough, Massachusetts 01752

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: DeYoung, John [John.DeYoung@FMR.COM]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 11:17 AM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Subject: Save Nantucket Sound

Dear Ms. Adams,

The Cape Wind proposal to build a wind-farm in Nantucket Sound will be disastrous for both the Sound and Cape Cod. It has the potential to destroy the Sound's environment, ruin the Cape's south coast beaches and in all-likelihood significantly impact the Cape's tourist economy.

The wind-farm will destroy all that is beautiful on the Cape's south coast. It will destroy the views that offer so many of us serenity. It will create emotional chaos with the increased sound pollution and the protective lighting. It will be a danger to those of us that use the Sound for recreational boating. It will drive away our summer friends. This can't happen.

The simple fact that there will be a large oil tank in the middle of the sound is of tremendous concern to me. It is easy to imagine an oil spillage as the tank is being refilled or an oil leak caused by some vessel colliding with the tank. This is extremely frightening to me because all along the Cape's South coast there is protected wildlife, which an oil spill would destroy. I am thinking about the terns on Kalmus beach. We have protected them for years, and now a developer wants to destroy them. This can't happen.

Please understand that I am not opposed to renewable energy sources, but I do not believe that the impact of this project to those of us that call Cape Cod our home is being considered. There is a right place and a wrong place for this type of project. Nantucket Sound is the wrong place. I urge you to do everything in your power to stop the efforts of Cape Wind to build a wind farm in Nantucket Sound.

Thank you so much!

Regards,

John De Young
500 Ocean St
Unit 66
Hyannis, MA 02601

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Sarah Stock [cottage@vineyard.net]
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 10:34 AM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Farm

I am writing to voice to you my absolute opposition to the Cape Wind Farm project proposed for Nantucket Sound. As a resident of Martha's Vineyard whose livelihood is based upon the natural beauty of the area, it is unthinkable that this ugly idea be actualized. I am not against the persual of wind-based energy at all, but I am sure there are other places that we could look at for the construction of such a wind farm. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.
S.Stock Oak Bluffs, MA.

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: WalshPal@aol.com
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 6:39 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Cc: webmaster@ago.state.ma.us
Subject: Nantucket Sound Wind Farm

To Karen K. Adams,

My name is Jim Walsh, I am a resident of Barnstable Massachusetts. The builders who want to build the wind farm in the Nantucket Sound, should not be able to use these waters for free. The citizens of the United States who pay their federal tax dollars to the federal government, in order for the federal government to protect the natural beauty of the Nantucket Sound are being short changed with this free wind farm development.

I believe the fairest process for your department to take is: For your department to put the Nantucket Sound Waters out for monetary bid every-year. The highest monetary bidder oversees the Nantucket Sound Waters each year. This process gives everybody a fair chance to oversee the Nantucket Sound Waters every year. The developers of the wind farm can submit their monetary bid, and those who do not want the wind farm can submit their monetary bid, every year. No matter who the highest monetary bidder is, that bidder oversees the Nantucket Sound Waters for that year. If you look at this process, even the federal government wins, because the federal government would be receiving tens of millions of dollars for their coffers thru this bidding process.

So you see, the monetary bidding process for the Nantucket Sound Waters every year is a fair process for all those who would be submitting a monetary bid. All the citizens in the United States who pay federal tax dollars to the United States government, would see their federal government representatives treating all U.S. Citizens and all U.S. Manufactures on an "EQUAL" basis when federal land and waters are involved.

Karen K. Adams, I hope your department will consider the highest monetary bidder process for a yearly basis, that I have suggested to you not just for the Nantucket Sounds (Wind-Farm) but for all properties that come under your departments jurisdiction.

I would like to Thank-You for taking time from your busy schedule to read my letter.

Please, remember everybody wins when a fair process is put into place.

SINCERLY,

JIM WALSH
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(508) 771-5463

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: trekker1701C [trekker1701C@comcast.net]
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 5:06 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Subject: Whales off of Nantucket

Yes Mam Whales off of Mac Blair Shoals last summer.3 in count.Feeding and we took an hour off from sportfishing just to whatch these Great mamals feeding. Humpback is my guess they had all the right markings and we where the only boat out there. If they decide to come back around Nantucket and the cape like days of old and the army corps have no idea whats happening out there,just plain stuppidity.Respecfully yours Benjamin Cobb e-mail teacherpetB1@comcast.net

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: Jack Clarke [jclarke@massaudubon.org]
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 1:02 PM
To: Adams, Karen K NAE
Cc: Laura Johnson; Taber Allison; Gary Clayton; Heidi Ricci; Simon Perkins; Susannah Caffry
Subject: Mass Audubon response to Cape Wind DEIS

Attached, as promised to you last week, is a copy of Mass Audubon's response to the DEIS for Cape Wind. This is not a response to your request for a cooperative agreement on further winter sea duck studies. We are currently discussing our role in such studies and will be in touch with you shortly.

Our comments are also not intended nor should it be interpreted as an attempt to delay the NEPA process. Our ongoing request for further avian studies is consistent with our original response to the ENF (Dec. 13, 2001) and our letter to the Army Corps on the draft scope of work (Feb. 22, 2002.)

Attached you will also find a copy of our press release regarding our public testimony. Additionally, our DEIS response and related information can be found at www.massaudubon.org

Thank you and let me know if you have any questions.

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December 7, 8, 16, 2005

Ms. Karen Kirk Adams, Cape Wind Energy Project EIS Project Manager
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Concord, MA 01742-2751

Reference File No. NAE-2004-338-1
EOEA No. 12643
Cape Com. File No. JR#20084

**Mass Audubon public hearing testimony in response to the
*Cape Wind Energy Project Draft Environmental Impact Statement***

Ms. Adams:

My name is Simon Perkins/John J. Clarke, and I am here representing Mass Audubon.

Mass Audubon is the largest conservation organization in New England, concentrating its efforts on protecting the nature of Massachusetts for people and wildlife.

We appreciate this opportunity to briefly respond to the *Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Cape Wind Energy Project* ("Cape Wind"). Our comments are focused on avian, marine, and public lands impacts as these are most relevant to Mass Audubon's mission.

We request that this testimony be considered under:

- *The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)*;
- Section 10 of the *Rivers & Harbors Act of 1899*;
- *The Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act*; and
- The Development of Regional Impact section of *The Cape Cod Commission Act*.

We also thank you for extending the public comment period beyond the required 45 days. We will use this time to more fully review the DEIS and respond with extensive written technical comments by the February 24th deadline. At this stage, however, we offer the following preliminary comments.

We urge that the Corps produce a Supplemental DEIS as there are key data gaps, particularly in regard to birds, that need to be filled before the document could be considered adequate to move forward to the Final EIS (FEIS) stage. We will forward this request to you in separate correspondence.

Mass Audubon is concerned about global warming. We strongly support public policies and private projects that advance energy conservation and efficiency. We also support the development of wind farms as a renewable energy source to offset the effects of global climate change produced by the burning of fossil fuels. The question for permitting agencies and the public is what are the most appropriate locations for wind farm facilities.

As we review the DEIS we are weighing both the project's benefits and detriments. Our review standard is that the construction and operation of 130 Cape Wind turbines on Horseshoe Shoal pose no undue mortality risks for avian and marine wildlife there or significantly lower its habitat value.

Avian (Bird) Impacts

The conclusion reached in the DEIS that the project is likely to cause approximately 364 bird deaths per year due to collisions with the turbines is not supportable. This number is derived from averaging data from studies of land-based wind farms and does not include studies from Europe that report higher per turbine mortality, nor does it consider data collected for the DEIS. Due to the high degree of uncertainty associated with this first large scale offshore project in the U.S., a range of figures should be presented rather than a single number of estimated bird collision deaths per year based on a more complete review of the literature and collision-risk models using data collected from the project area.

Mass Audubon and the US Fish & Wildlife Service have requested three (3) years worth of seasonal avian information as a necessary component of the NEPA review. Data on three groups of birds are needed: terns, winter waterfowl, and migrating passerines (songbirds). Our position on this project may be dependent on the submission of complete and adequate avian information in the FEIS.

The DEIS contains two years of data on terns and winter waterfowl, and one incomplete year of information on migrating passerines, falling short of the three years for each as requested.

As the DEIS was being drafted, we offered and you accepted our independent, primary research data on terns and winter waterfowl to supplement the data provided by the applicant. Other studies are underway and will be submitted when complete.

Even with the addition of the pending studies, we have identified two significant avian data gaps. The first regards wintering Long-tailed Ducks and their evening roosting areas in and around Nantucket Sound. The second regards nocturnal passerines migrating through the site in spring and fall.

Additionally, statements concluding a minimal risk to bats are made in the absence of any data. We look forward to further cooperation with the Corps as we continue our bird studies on Nantucket Sound this winter and look forward to the incorporation of this data in the next iteration of the EIS.

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Public Lands

Since the proposed Cape Wind Project site is located in the federally controlled Outer Continental Shelf (OCS), Mass Audubon continues to lobby the US Congress to immediately pass federal planning and leasing legislation for such uses of the OCS. While we do not call for a moratorium on Cape Wind, we urge that any leasing program be applied retroactively to this and any offshore renewable energy projects that may be permitted on the OCS prior to a leasing program becoming law.

Mass Audubon recommends that mitigation for the Cape Wind project include commitments to provide funding for acquisition and permanent protection of land for conservation of bird and other habitat, similar to the Land and Water Conservation Funds contributed by offshore oil and gas leases.

Marine Impacts

The DEIS indicates that the impacts on sea turtles, seals, finfish, marine invertebrates, water quality, and currents, is likely to be minimal. However more information is needed in some areas, specifically with regard to sea turtle distribution in the project area, and we will be submitting more specific comments.

Bats

Statements concluding a minimal risk to bats are based on the inference that bats do not migrate across Nantucket Sound in significant numbers. No data supporting this conclusion are included in the DEIS. High mortality of bats at wind farms in West Virginia suggest that bats may be substantially at risk for collision with wind turbines. Red bats in particular are strong fliers that may migrate across large areas of water such as Nantucket Sound.

Mitigation and Monitoring

What is presented as mitigation is really prevention. Mitigation plans should be provided and include provisions triggering additional mitigation if projected impact thresholds are significantly exceeded.

The proposed one-year of post-construction surveys is insufficient for detecting significant changes in avian use of the Project area due to the construction of the proposed wind farm.

Conclusion

In conclusion, Mass Audubon urges that a Supplemental DEIS be prepared and submitted for public review and comment in order to address the significant data gaps we have identified, to incorporate avian data that has been or will be gathered soon, and to further address impact monitoring and mitigation.

Mass Audubon will continue to work with the state and federal government, the energy industry, and environmental colleagues to ensure rapid progress on reducing reliance on fossil fuels through conservation and wind energy development while minimizing the negative environmental impacts.

Thank you.

attachment



Avian Data Summary

Attachment for Cape Wind Energy Project DEIS review and comment.
December 6, 2004

Avian Risk Category	Status of 3-year recommendation for avian studies	Mass Audubon provided studies	Mass Audubon will provide	Studies conducted by Applicant
Roseate Terns Staging Period (Aug. – Sept.)	Not met yet. Will be met by Mass Audubon	2002 ¹ 2003 ¹	2004 ¹ study in Feb. 2005	42 Aerial and Boat Surveys between March 2002 and February 2004
Roseate Terns – Nesting Season (May – July)	Yes, combination of Mass Audubon and applicant data	2003 ¹	2004 ¹ study in Feb. 2005	
Winter Sea Ducks (Dec. – Mar.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not met yet. Will be met with combination of Mass Audubon and applicant data Daytime surveys only; need to be supplemented with nighttime surveys. 	Winter 2003-2004 ² (to be submitted with Mass Audubon comments on the DEIS)	Winter 2004 – 2005 ² study in May 2005	
Migratory Passerines	No, and no indication the applicant will meet this standard	None ³	None ³	Radar studies May 2002 September 2002

¹ Funded by the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative and the Island Foundation

² Funded by the Island Foundation and Foundation M

³ No funding available

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December 6, 2004

Contact: Jack Clarke 617-962-5187
Susannah Caffry 781-259-2135

**Mass Audubon Urges Army Corps to Produce
Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement
for the Proposed Cape Wind Project**

In the organization's first public comment since the *Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Proposed Cape Wind Project* was released, Mass Audubon urges the Army Corp to produce a Supplemental DEIS addressing key data gaps, particularly in regard to birds, which need to be filled before the document could be considered adequate to move forward to the Final EIS (FEIS) stage.

On November 9, 2004, Mass Audubon began its review of the long-awaited 4,000-page DEIS. As proposed, Cape Wind would be the first offshore wind farm in North America and one of the largest in the world.

"We appreciate this opportunity participate in the public hearings, which begin tonight, in response to the *Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Cape Wind Energy Project*. Our comments are focused on avian, marine, and public lands impacts as these are most relevant to Mass Audubon's mission," said Jack Clarke, Mass Audubon's director of advocacy. "As we review the DEIS we are weighing both the project's benefits and detriments. Our review standard is that the construction and operation of 130 Cape Wind turbines on Horseshoe Shoal pose no undue mortality risks for avian and marine wildlife there or significantly lower its habitat value."

Mass Audubon will testify on the project at public hearings on the Cape and Islands, focusing on the following information in the report. The conclusion reached in the DEIS that the project is likely to cause approximately 364 bird deaths per year due to collisions with the turbines is not supportable. This number is derived from averaging data from studies of land-based wind farms and does not include studies from Europe that report higher per turbine mortality, nor does it consider data collected for the DEIS. Due to the high degree of uncertainty associated with this first large scale offshore project in the U.S., a range of figures should be presented rather than a single number of estimated bird collision deaths per year based on a more complete review of the literature and collision-risk models using data collected from the project area.

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As responsible citizens, stewards, and advocates, Mass Audubon strongly supports public policies and private projects that advance energy conservation and efficiency. Rapid climate warming is one of the most serious long-term threats to the nature of Massachusetts and planet. This warming primarily results from the burning of fossil fuels to power cars, trucks, planes and trains, and generate electricity. Though we make up just 4 percent of the world's population, Americans produce 25 percent of the world's carbon dioxide pollution.

Mass Audubon supports the development of wind farms as a renewable energy source to offset the effects of global climate change produced by the burning of fossil fuels. "The development production, and consumption of fossil fuels damages the public's health and environment every day through the destruction of wildlife habitat from drilling and mining; the closure of shell fisheries and fouling of beaches by oil spills; damage to human health from air and water pollution; and contamination of groundwater from the disposal of solid and hazardous waste," said Jack Clarke. "Mass Audubon will continue to work with the state and federal government, the energy industry, and environmental colleagues to ensure rapid progress on reducing reliance on fossil fuels through conservation and wind energy development while minimizing the negative environmental impacts."

You can find out more about Mass Audubon's position statement on wind energy at www.massaudubon.org/wind.

The Massachusetts Audubon Society is the largest conservation organization in New England, concentrating its efforts on protecting the nature of Massachusetts for people and wildlife. Mass Audubon protects more than 30,000 acres of conservation land, conducts educational programs for 250,000 children and adults annually, and advocates for sound environmental policies at the local, state, and federal levels. Established in 1896 and supported by 65,000 member households, Mass Audubon maintains 43 wildlife sanctuaries that are open to the public and serve as the base for its conservation, education, and advocacy work across the state. For more information or to become a member, call 800-AUDUBON (283-8266) or visit www.massaudubon.org.

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Comment Sheet
On Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)
For the proposal for an Offshore Wind Project
In Nantucket Sound

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Please state your questions/comments in the space below:

I FULLY SUPPORT THE WIND FARM IN
NANTUCKET SOUND AND HOPE TO SEE
THE PROJECT STARTED AND COMPLETED
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

**Please fold this questionnaire in half, affix two stickers or pieces of tape,
and mail it to the address listed on the other side.**

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Leonard.Greenhalgh@Dartmouth.EDU
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 5:59 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Project

Dear Ms. Kirk-Adams:

I urge the Corps of Engineers to make this project a success.

Apart from the immediate effect on pollution abatement, reduced consumption of fossil fuels, and curtailed emission of carbon dioxide, this is an important demonstration project.

Please give this project your full support.

Sincerely,

Leonard Greenhalgh, PhD
Professor of Management
Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth
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207 542 5052 (mobile)

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: tpcall@capecod.net
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 6:49 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Energy Project.

Gentleman,

I wish to express my support for the Cape Wind Energy Project that has been much in the news recently. From what I have read, the advantages of the project far outweigh the disadvantages, and it would be a crucial first step in establishing clean, renewable, energy at other appropriate sites in the United States. I understand that a site similar to the one proposed for Nantucket Shoals has been operating very successfully in Norway with minimal environmental impact.

It seems clear from a number of recent reports that global warming is an undeniable reality that is going to have a very detrimental impact upon the planet if factors contributing to it are not checked very soon. This project, by reducing the burning of fossil fuels for energy production, appears to be an excellent step in that direction.

Thank you for your recent thorough report.

Sincerely,
Timothy Call
190 Route 6A, #9D
Orleans, MA 02653

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: wedge [wedgeb@adelphia.net]
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 7:43 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: cape wind

Hello, I support Cape Wind. I live on the ocean in Plymouth Ma. Wind is a a clean alternative to other energy sources. America would not be where it is without it's Yankee ingenuity. Let our country start to take comand of it's future. Thanks, Wedge Bramhall Plymouth Ma.

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: Harry Shamir [r_da@adelphia.net]
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 7:47 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind

Gentlemen,

I wish to add my voice in favor of Cape Wind, the renewable energy wind farm project in Nantucket Sound, and many more like it.

Harry Shamir
President
R&DA Co
37 Dwight Ave
Plymouth, MA

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Casadillon@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 8:30 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: DEIS on Cape Wind

This urgently requests that the comment period for this report be extended from 60 to 180 days to properly assess its implications. Don Dillon 30 Cockachoisett Lane, Osterville, MA 02655

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Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: efr04029@juno.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 9:06 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Wind farm

There is a definite need for alternative energy in the United States!The sooner we get our act together, the sooner the problem will be addressed !

We need to stop being held hostage by the people and countries (OPEC) that supply the oil to the world and are not friendly to the U.S. Let them eat their oil !!!! We need independance from foreign oil for once and for all ! The sooner we get gas-electric hybrid vehicles mass produced and diesel-electric vehicles mass produced, the better off we will be !The renewable sources of energy: WIND AND SOLAR ENERGY ARE THRE FOR THE TAKING AND THEY ARE RENEWABLE ALL THE TIME WITHIN REASON There are cloudy days and there are calm days !We need to do away with FOREIGN OIL FOREVER!Thank you,Eugene F. Raymond,P.O. BOX 1246,15 Patten Road,Norton Massachusetts 02766

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Sean Conta [seanconta@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 01, 2004 11:20 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind project

I support the Cape Wind project simply because I am concerned about the environment, and the Army Corps of Engineers draft proves that this project would positively effect the environment and the economy in Massachussetts.

Let's show the country and the world that the United States cares about renewable energy by implementing the first offshore wind farm in the country.

sincerely,

Sean Conta

Do you Yahoo!?
The all-new My Yahoo! - What will yours do?

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: Timothy Reilly [treilly@lighthouse technical.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 7:04 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Question regarding Transformer Oil

To Whom It May Concern:

The DEIR/DEIS/DRI for the proposed Cape Wind project in Nantucket Sound does not appear to address the particular type/brand of the transformer oil used in the transformers at the Electrical Services Platform. Is this information available? If so, I would appreciate knowing the type of transformer oil to be used.

Many thanks.

Tim Reilly

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Lyman Perry [LPerry@lparchitects.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 10:08 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind

I am a USNA graduate, own a 40' Sail boat, home on Nantucket and I am TOTALLY in FAVOR OF CAPE WIND being approved! I was also in Rickover's Nuclear Nuclear program in Submarines so I know about Nuclear Reactors and when we were building them people came out of the woodwork against them shouting "WIND POWER".

Well here we are so let's move forward. Just because the private sector is willing to take the risk and may make a profit is not a reason to be against it!!

Lyman S.A. Perry

Lyman S. A. Perry, President

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Po Putnam [JHPutnam@dimellashaffer.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 10:08 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Cod Wind Energy Project in Natucket sound

US Army Corp of Engineers

To Whom it may concern:

This is to register my opposition to the wind energy development as currently conceived. My view is that it is much much too larger and as a result, environmentally damaging.

I consider the size of the project to be analogous to environmental sound or noise. Imagine that you lived in the vicinity to an invisible energy generation plant whose only environmental impact was sound, what would then be an acceptable impact?

People would differ about an acceptable impact, but most would agree that a 10db [decibel] sound would be fine. Some would object to 60 db, many to 80 db and all to 150 db.

I consider the visual, environmental impact of the proposed installation to be an equivalent of about a 175 db sound.

I consider the proposed technology structure inappropriate for its particular environment.

Another analogy would be a country lane versus a super highway. A country lane would be acceptable, a super highway would not in this environment.

I strongly urge you to deny this project the right to be constructed. This project should be scaled back by a factor of 10 to 20.

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508-653-9912

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Matt McLoughlin [matt@secondwind.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 10:39 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Project support

From: Matt McLoughlin
42 Ann Vinal Rd.
Scituate, MA 02066
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mcloughs@aol.com

I support Cape Wind and would support it if it were off the Scituate coast as well.

Here is an interesting article and perspective.

Colorado Snubs Coal for Renewables

By Ed Marston
Tidepool

Monday 15 November 2004

Voters turn away from utilities' reliance on coal in favor of mixing in renewable energy.

Not long after Enron, one of our larger humpty-dumpties, had its great fall, I heard a supporter say he missed its CEO, because "Ken Lay was a visionary. He wanted to cover parts of Texas with wind turbines and export that clean energy to the rest of the country."

Yeah, a visionary. Wind or natural gas or hog manure was all the same to Enron: vehicles of enrichment. But Enron's biggest crime wasn't financial trickery. It was its betrayal of the nation's stab at electric deregulation. Until Enron and the little Enrons turned deregulation into a scandal, it had the potential to break apart monopolistic utilities and open the way to innovation, as happened in the telephone industry. Once Enron and the gang of energy traders almost bankrupted California, the restructuring of a stodgy industry came to a halt.

To understand what electric utilities are, and why they must be shaken up, imagine that Thomas Edison - dead since 1931 - comes to life and tours a "modern" coal-fired power plant. It would all be familiar to him except the computerized control room. The plant would be bigger and hotter and operate at a higher voltage, but the underlying technology would be the same.

Worse, a recent report by the industry's research arm, the Electric Power Research Institute, says that for every \$100 Americans pay to a utility, they spend another \$50 on losses from outages, brown-outs, voltage fluctuations and the like.

As if the industry didn't have enough problems, this fall in Colorado along came ballot Initiative-37, which, now that it has passed 53 percent-47 percent, requires utilities to begin selling electricity from renewable sources such as wind, solar, flowing water, the burning of used french-fry oil. My local electric utility, on whose board of directors I sit, voted to back the initiative.

That made Delta-Montrose Electric Association part of a tiny minority.

On the other side were Colorado's major utilities, spending millions of customer dollars. For giants like Xcel, it was about family values: They are happily married to coal, and another partner in the bedroom is anathema.

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They have a point. Winds start and stop without a moment's notice while coal-fired power plants work best flat-out. Ask a coal plant to quickly change speed to make up for a drop in wind generation elsewhere on the system, and you will see a spectacular pile-up.

But rather than figure out how to add renewables to their mix, and rather than think, "Maybe we should begin phasing out of coal and move into wind and efficiency," Colorado's utilities spent their customers' money begging voters to let them remain in the early 20th century.

The utilities are not the only ones wind power will trouble. It will give lots of us fits. I live within a few miles of three mines that produce 1 percent of America's coal. But if not for train whistles and crossing gates, I wouldn't know I live in a coal valley. Underground mines occupy few acres above ground.

By comparison, wind turbines take up lots of land and are visible from far off. Ask the people on Cape Cod who object to possible turbines off their shores. Ask bird-watchers, who fear that whirling propellers will knock hundreds of thousands of birds out of the sky.

Why then did I - half utility beast and half environmental beast - back renewable energy on election day? First, because integrating wind into the electricity mix will force utility executives and engineers to innovate, or to make way for those who can. With deregulation dead, wind is the only modernizing tool for a horse-and-buggy industry.

Second: Wind is not a utopian idea. Wind is pragmatic, central-station power, like coal. Its problems can be solved.

Third: After seeing photos of melting polar ice caps in National Geographic, I believe in global climate change. We must cut our use of fossil fuels.

There is also beauty. I visited a large wind ranch on the arid, windy plains of New Mexico recently, where 136 turbines snake for miles along the edge of a low cliff. Except for a recurring whoosh, the machines were silent. What I most remember are the shadows of the immense blades sweeping across the ground toward me. I stood in the near silence and in those racing shadows until our tour bus left. The wind machines added to the beauty of that land, as windmills add beauty to Holland's coast. I could live among them, as I now live among coal trains. All I ask is that some of the electricity the turbines create out of thin air comes to me

1542

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: SMSLand21@aol.com

Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 10:44 AM

To: Energy, Wind

Subject: Please extend the public comment period on the Cape Wind DEIS



Please immediately extend the public comment period on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Cape Wind project to 180 days. Any shorter time period is entirely insufficient to allow the public ample opportunity to provide input on such a lengthy and important document on a complex and controversial project.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Stavnes

ten story transformer substation housing 40,000 gallons of oil, miles of underground cables, 520 flashing red and amber lights, and blaring foghorns.

There would be negative impacts on tourism, fishing, the economy, and the environment.

Act now and join the effort before its too late!

www.saveoursound.org

1543

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: jobishop628@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 10:49 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

Colonel Thomas Koning
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

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Sincerely,

June Bishop
30 W 020 Laurel Ct.
warrenville, Illinois 60555

1544

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: LenGerwick1940@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:19 AM
To: wind.energy@USACE.army.mil.
Subject: (no subject)

Dear Ms. Kirk-Adams,

I strongly urge the Army Corps to support the development of accessing wind energy off Cape Cod as a needed source of energy that is clean and not dependent on imported fuel. It is both environmentally and economically beneficial to the American people.

Sincerely,

Len Gerwick

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1545

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Lynn Houston [lehouston@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:33 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Public Comment Re: Cape Wind Project

Karen Kirk-Adams
Cape Wind Energy Project EIS Project Manager
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

Dear Karen Kirk-adams,

There is a tremendous the need for clean energy in New England. The Army Corps of Engineers has released the DEIS for public review and the preliminary findings of the DEIS are very favorable. Because this project has the potential to provide a significant amount of renewable energy to New England we whole-heartedly support it, and we live on the island of Nantucket where the wind almost never stops blowing.

We need to reduce our dependence on fossil fuels. So many countries around the world are using energy from the wind, but we are way behind in that. Iceland already uses the wind to provide close to 20% of their energy and many European countries have numerous wind farms with plans in place to use ever greater amounts of renewable energy.

Our family has people who suffer from asthma and the poor air quality all over New England is very obvious to those of us with this problem. The prevailing winds are from the west or southwest and bring polluted air even out to our island. We would also like to see efforts like this wind farm reduce the greenhouse effect that is happening faster than anyone several years ago predicted.

As far as we are concerned the opposition to this seems to stem from the NOT IN MY BACKYARD SYNDROME, but we need to act and act soon and not spend another several years doing nothing. people are always afraid of change, but this will be change for the better.

We hope we can move forward with this project and set an example for others.

Sincerely,

Lynn and Harrison Houston

8 Arkansas Ave.

Nantucket, Mass. 02554-2502

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: jack Edmonston [jackedmonston@adelphia.net]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:35 AM
To: Energy, Wind

Whatever the drawbacks of the Cape Wind project, the advantages, in my opinion, far outweigh them. I can see the Canal Electric plant from the end of my street and when i walk on the beach. It is far more ugly than wind towers miles off shore. And far more dangerous to my health. Yet it got built. Time for boaters on the south side to pay their dues.

Jack Edmonston
9 Stonefield Drive
East Sandwich, MA

1547

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: gstewart@ovid.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:19 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Glenn Stewart
614 county
New Bedford, MA 027406516

1548

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: rsmiv@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:24 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Robert Munger
27 Victoria St.
Somerville, MA 021441713

1549

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: alessandro_foti@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:24 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

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Alessandro Foti
35 Spring Street, Apt 1
Medford, MA 021554802

1550

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: deb@amherstcommon.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:25 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

I feel that anything that we can do to advance alternative fuels, that doesn't further pollute the environment, should be given the most strong support as early as possible.

Deborah Arak
60 Maplewood Drive
Amherst, MA 010021871

Adams, Karen K NAE

1551

From: cherrepaha@hotmail.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:28 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Samantha Morse
30 Columbus Ave
Cambridge, MA 021401625

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: lyrette@hotmail.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:29 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Sarah Hunter
7 Milk St. #1
Salem, MA 019704012

Adams, Karen K NAE

1553

From: stein@ecs.umass.edu
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:27 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront. While some may be concerned that the wind facilities may detract from scenic views, the consequences of global warming that will result from continued production of energy using fossile fuel will be much more serious. This not only affects the residents of the Cape but will be of imortance to the entire world. That should be our priority!

Richard Stein
5 Berkshire Ter
Amherst, MA 010021301

Adams, Karen K NAE

1554

From: wwjarnagin@amherst.edu
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:30 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

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Willa Jarnagin
105 West Pelham Rd.
Shutesbury, MA 010729784

1555

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Patrick "Strömförsläkt" [pstrom66@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 1:07 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Support for Cape Wind Project

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Cape Wind project.

There are many reasons why I support the wind project, but let me share my top 2.

I learned recently that Cape Cod has air quality 50% worse than Boston's. This is due to the 2 nearby power plants that currently supply the Cape's power, one burns imported coal, the other burns imported oil. The Cape Wind project is large enough to supply enough power enabling these plants to throttle back. Air quality will improve significantly.

Secondly, I do not believe that these wind turbines will repel Cape Cod tourists. The wind turbines will be visible far away on the horizon. Tourists will still come for the same reasons they always have: beaches, boating, relaxation, spending time with family in summer homes, etc. In fact, I can think of several of my friends and family who will want to see the wind turbines for themselves.

Don't let a small vocal minority derail a watershed project.

Sincerely,
Patrick Strom
Burlington VT
802-865-9608

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: FKZ1@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 1:43 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Energy Comments

Frederick K. Zimmermann
42 Naushon Avenue
South Dartmouth, MA 02748-1336
FKZ1@aol.com
December 2, 2004

Karen Kirk-Adams
Cape Wind Energy EIS Project
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

Re: Wind Turbines Off Cape Cod
Public Comments

Dear U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:

You should not listen to the refrain "NOT HERE, NOT HERE". Very few property owners are open to change that affects them even if the change is "MINOR". Property owners don't want oil refineries, LNG terminals, power plants, high tension wires and now they are protesting having wind turbines. Please don't let the parochial views of people who "believe" they will be impacted keep you from making a decision that will be good for the long term interests of people on the Cape and the future direction of power generation. Having a horizon impacted by wind turbines is not a hardship.

I own 175 feet of waterfront property at the mouth of Buzzards Bay in South Dartmouth. We have beautiful views of Buzzards Bay and the Elizabeth Islands. I would gladly look out on wind turbines. If the people on Cape Cod have the political muscle to stop this development please bring it here. We have plenty of wind that should be harnessed. For too many years people have complained about the high price of oil and gas as well as the risks of nuclear energy. Little has been done to prepare the United States for the day when the oil will get incredibly expensive and even run out. Will the complaining people prefer to be without power than to look out on some distant wind turbines?

I urge you to do everything in your power to see that this project moves forward. If the people on Cape Cod that are opposed to this project could see past their noses they would realize that this project also gives them a fighting chance to clean up the air they breathe. Our hope should be that wind technology and other renewable energy sources will take over the burden of energy generation from the polluting power plants that now exist in New England and across the rest of the United States.

Sincerely,

Frederick K. Zimmermann
42 Naushon Avenue
S. Dartmouth, MA 02748-1336

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1557

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: NMama314@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 4:06 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: wind power for Cape Cod

Dear Sirs;

I recently returned from Europe where I witnessed wind power in use throughout most of Germany and the northern countries.....I spoke at length with residents and repeated some of the fears I have read in local papers here.....the German people laughed and laughed....they have lived in peace with these quiet giants for years and are making electricity quietly and sans pollution.....PLEASE TAKE MEASURES TO ALLOW US THE SAME POWER.....

Thank you,

Carol Vogler Bright
PO 1436 Orleans, MA 02653

1558

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Robin Marlowe [marlowe@studioroma.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 4:26 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: cape wind project

re: Cape Wind Project

YES!

Great idea!

Every windy day I think of all those megawatts not going onto the grid.

Let's do it!

Sincerely,

Robin Marlowe

1559

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Shannon, Daniel C., M.D. [DSHANNON@PARTNERS.ORG]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 4:28 PM
To: Army Corps of Engineers (E-mail)
Subject: Cape Wind

Given the very large document prepared as a Draft Environmental Impact Statement regarding the Cape Wind project, I request that you extend the comment period from 60 to 180 days.
Thank you very much
Daniel C. Shannon

1560

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: paul coggins [pcoggins@rcn.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 5:16 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: cape wind energy EIS project

My name is Paul Coggins & I am a supporter of the cape wind project that I REALLY hope happens.

I come from England & have seen several wind farms there & in Scandinavia. The results there have been amazing. Power - The environment - tourism.

I do not understand why there is such criticism for such an admirable project & I hope that you go forward with the project as soon as possible.

Please go take a look at the Sandwich power station & ask the locals there how many time they have to clean soot off their cars. Just imagine what that

"smokestack" is doing to the environment.

Many thanks for your good work

Paul Coggins

North Falmouth .Cape Cod

617-319-2250

1561

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: J. Michael Walker [mwalker@beaconconsultants.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 8:25 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: DEIS

Dear Army Corps of Engineers,

I want to commend you for performing what appears to be a very thorough, fair, and balanced environmental impact statement for the Cape Wind project. As an environmentalist who enjoys visiting the islands and the Cape every year, I had some concerns.

I am now convinced that, on the whole, the Cape Wind project is good for the environment and good for MA, and I support it.

Much appreciated,

Mike Walker

J. Michael Walker

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Peter Macara [pmacara@capecod.net]
Sent: Thursday, December 02, 2004 11:15 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Wind Energy

Dear Ms. Adams,

Please consider comment from people like myself who live on the Cape and are in favor of putting the wind farm in Nantucket Sound. We need more energy and this non-polluting source of electric power is a step toward the future. I have always opposed nuclear energy and I would love to replace our local, polluting coal-fired plants. This is an opportunity for our Country to become independent of Mid-East oil.

Just your local citizen, homeowner and bill payer,

Barbara Rushmore

Barbara Rushmore
605 Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA 02657
508-487-3153

1563

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: moonchild981@hotmail.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 3:30 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

Colonel Thomas Koning
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

Dear Colonel Koning,

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Sincerely,

Amy Rice
67 Park Place
Staten Island, New York 10301-1345

1564

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Simon C Bunyard [simon@simonbunyard.com]
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 8:11 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Cc: 'Cape Wind'
Subject: Cape Wind Project Support

To Whom it May Concern:

I wish to express my strong support for the Cape Wind Project. I have been following the lengthy debate in the press about the project for more than a year now, and I have read summaries of your very comprehensive and well prepared environmental impact report. My conclusions are these:

- 1) The project will cause far less environmental impact than the alternative fossil fuel generating capacity;
- 2) The project will not be an eyesore. To the contrary, I find windmills very elegant and graceful, much like sail boats;
- 3) The existence of windmills off the shore of Cape Cod will not prevent me and my family from enjoying vacations in the area which I do frequently;
- 4) The political opposition to this project is based on a selfish NIMBY attitude that is not considering the greater public benefit;
- 5) The project will lessen our dependence on foreign fuel; and
- 6) The project will slow down the depletion of fossil fuel which is in limited supply (I strongly suspect that the wind will be around far longer than fossil fuel).

Please do all you can to accelerate the approval of permits for the project and to eliminate all the roadblocks that have been thrown in front of it by a vociferous but wrong-headed opposition.

Thank you.

Simon C Bunyard
110 Barteau Ln.
Boxborough, MA 01719
home: 978-263-3139
work: 978-263-6158
fax: 978-263-8082
simon@simonbunyard.com

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Jim Curtis [curtisjt@MIT.EDU]
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 9:34 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Cape Wind Support

As someone who has followed the Cape Wind developments closely since the project was first announced, I wish to announce my wholehearted support to the project and congratulate the Corps on a fine job in producing a Draft EIS under heavy public pressure.

Renewable energy is a goal that is seemingly shared by everyone. This project meets that need in a huge way -- non-polluting, jobs-creating, price-reducing, economy-diversifying, and a host of other great benefits. Still there is a small but vocal component of self-interested opponents to this particular project. (Of course, the Cape Wind opponents support "other" renewable projects).

I could go on at length about the benefits of this project, about how important it is to demonstrate that for once, we as a society will act to back up the abstract goal of renewable, self-supporting energy production, about how the Cape economy will benefit from a significant new source of income, about how the windmills will become a major new source of tourists. But I will not.

Simply, please add my name and voice to those who strongly support this project. It is vital that it not be stopped for political purposes. Your DEIS made clear that political excuses are the only reason it would be stopped -- no real objections have ever been identified since the project was announced. This project must go forward.

Sincerely,
Jim Curtis

James T. Curtis, PE, LSP
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Environment, Health & Safety Office
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265 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139
(617) 452-2508 (tel), (617) 258-6831 (fax)
Email: curtisjt@mit.edu
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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: carcar@att.net
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 9:26 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

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Sincerely,

Carolyn Moon
120 S 38th AV #24
Omaha, Nebraska 68131

Adams, Karen K NAE

1567

From: charlottetaylor21@hotmail.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 9:38 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Charlotte Taylor
59 Simpson Avenue
Somerville, MA 021441805

1568

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Richard Lampke [rlampke@Sundancepub.com]
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 9:45 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Comments on DEIS for Cape Wind Project

Gentlemen,

I am in strong support of the Cape Wind energy project planned for Nantucket Sound.

I have reviewed the DEIS and agree with it.

The Cape Wind project is vital to the regions energy needs. It must be started and started soon.

Beyond the project economic gains and alternative, and additional, energy advantages the project will contribute to better air quality in the region and the overall public health benefits associated with reduced pollutants.

For these clear reasons as well as the direct benefit to jobs in the region I reiterate my strong support for the project and urge it's approval and early start of construction. (My family of 4, all voters, have the same level support for the program as I do.)

Sincerely,

R. G. Lampke
Groton, Massachusetts
Lampke@charter.net

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1569

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: veganize_it@hotmail.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:20 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

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Sincerely,

Brianne Lanigan
1617 N. Garfield St.
Arlington, Virginia 22201

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: bameling@limestone.edu
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:38 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742-2751

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Sincerely,

Brian Ameling
104 Greenbriar Drive
Gaffney, South Carolina 29341

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Jack Hoagland [jack@jnetgrp.com]
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:42 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Horseshoe Shoal

Dear Friends:

I am writing, as a citizen and taxpayer in Cotuit, MA, to protest the relentless movement toward a major industrial construction in the heart of Nantucket Sound. We are not waterfront property owners, but we do regard Cape Cod as our back yard, for whose well being we share responsibility. My concern is that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, financed by the taxpayers, is acting primarily in the interest of private developers, against the wishes of local citizens who will be most affected by such a development. The support given by a U.S. government agency to a group of arrogant and profiteering developers is of grave concern to me. If the project goes forward, and as major problems inevitably develop, the aftermath is likely to make the public forget the Big Dig and turn its angry attention to the Corps and the responsible corporations.

Sincerely,

John H. Hoagland
187 Cotuit Bay Drive
Cotuit MA 02635

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1572

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: straussdesigns@rcn.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:21 AM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

We all know the upside of wind power--clean, low ongoing cost, non-depleting of the Earth's resources. The decision will turn on whether the downsiders can convince you that their special interests deserve to defeat our energy future.

I'm not unmindful of the environmental impact on migratory birds, but experience has shown this can be dealt with by establishing appropriate conditions.

The concern that I believe to be entirely bogus is the "esthetic" one. Far from intruding on the pristine seascape, the wind farm will be an environmentally correct novelty that will enrich the view and immediately be captured in postcards and peoples' hearts. Don't let a decision of this significance be based on such a subjective standard.

David Strauss
14 Grayson Lane
Newton, MA 024621009

1573

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: jena@winfirst.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 12:05 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

Colonel Thomas Koning
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Jennifer Taylor
1732 Bannon Creek Drive
Sacramento, California 95833

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Jon Mason [jmason@bostonlabs.com]
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 12:50 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: GOOD! Comments on Cape Wind DEIS

I am a 35yo lifelong Cape Resident.

I support this project under one condition: Have Cape Wind set aside projected money in an account, that would pay for dismantling the entire project.

The true travesty would be idle, rotting structures in the sound with a bankrupt company unable to handle the destruction.

And if they simply knock over the towers for reefs, how will this effect the flow of the current?

Green is good, and so is responsible project implementation.

Jon

Jon Mason
President
Boston Labs, Inc.
56 Roland Street
Boston, MA 02129
617-684-2222
www.bostonlabs.com

12/10/2004

1575

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: memebuffins@verizon.net
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 12:46 PM
To: Energy, Wind
Subject: Massachusetts needs wind energy

Wind power is a promising choice for Massachusetts' energy future. We need to ensure that the Cape Wind Project receives a prompt and thorough review that keeps the public interest at the forefront.

Mary Meyers

Box 2709

Vineyard Haven, MA 025680924

1576

Adams, Karen K NAE

From: botox@e-appraise.com.every1.net
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 12:57 PM
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Desiree Mehbod

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Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 1:41 PM
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phoebe mossey
224 Long Pond Drive
s yarmouth, Massachusetts 02664

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From: amcimino9@aol.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 4:19 PM
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Gaithersburg, Maryland 20877

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ann marcol
107 w. willow road
prospect heights, Illinois 60070

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sandra ruiz
3761 nw 66 ave
VA GARDENS, Florida 33166

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22213 W. Norwich Ct.
Plainfield, Illinois 60544

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P O Box 1964
Albrightsville, Pennsylvania 18210

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Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:56 PM
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2601 Hilltop Drive
Richmond, California 94806

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Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 7:34 PM
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Marie Dutto
59, Chemin de Corteo
Aspremont, 06790
France

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Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 7:47 PM
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georgette mulligan
197 white oak trail
centerville, Massachusetts 02632

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Sent: Saturday, December 04, 2004 9:09 AM
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linda howe
91 school rd
elmont, New York 11003

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Kelly Moltedo
11 Sherman Street
Everett, Massachusetts 02149

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Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 9:38 PM
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Malerie Wirey
13 Allison Ave
Ellsworth, Maine 04605

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From: nayeemaslam@comcast.net
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From: willow95moon@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 11:11 PM
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Willow W.
none
none, California 95064

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Sent: Saturday, December 04, 2004 1:45 PM
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Sincerely,

Joseph Collins
101 - 41 124th Street
New York, New York 11419

1593

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3936 Miller Place
Plainedge, New York 11756

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From: tsoyama@desu.ne.jp
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Fukuoka, 812-0061
Japan

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Sent: Saturday, December 04, 2004 4:07 PM
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Evanston, Illinois 60201

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2700 N A1A 6-102
Indianapolis, Florida 32903

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1597

From: harleygirl@ameritech.net
Sent: Saturday, December 04, 2004 5:55 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Pam Weygand
1160 Osterman
Deerfield, Illinois 60015

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Sent: Saturday, December 04, 2004 7:36 PM
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310 church rd
seguin, Texas 78155

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Mijanou Bauchau
1941 lookout Dr
Agoura, California 91301

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Nicole Brooks
242 Main Street
Milbridge, Maine 04658

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Denise Perrin
90680

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Trisha Hamilton
9794 Cherry Ave.
Cherry Valley, California 92223

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Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 8:27 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Matt DeLuca
6217 E. 26th Pl
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74114

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Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 1:10 PM
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Jenna Engelstein
19 Woodstream Dr.
Delmar, New York 12054

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Dawn Freeman
RR 1 Box 218
Penobscot, Maine 04476

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Papillion, Nebraska 68046

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1920 Gardena Ave., Apt.21
Glendale, California 91204

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2024 E Provincial Hs Dr
Lansing, Michigan 48910

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Barbara Gara
1050 Woodland Ave.
Glendora, New Jersey 08029

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Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 6:48 PM
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6511 Marsol Rd Apt. #701
Mayfield Hts., Ohio 44124

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Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 6:49 PM
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Beth Mordaunt
1030 W. MacArthur #16
Santa Ana, California 92707

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From: scales1978@aol.com
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 1:21 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Amy Bruno
792 Surf Avenue
Stratford, Connecticut 06615

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Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 2:42 PM
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lisa pisano
272 bay 19th dt
brooklyn, New York 11214

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kimberly clemens
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shillington, Pennsylvania 19607

1618

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Jane Buchanan
1824 Zinnia Drive
Indianapolis, Indiana 46219

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dani funk
321 old forks road
hammorton, New Jersey 08037

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Beverly Hills, Michigan 48025

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N.Y. N.Y., New York 10019

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Iela moroz
2222 arthur ave.
lakewood, Ohio 44107

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1220 Moore Ave
Dunbar, West Virginia 25064

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3555A 17th Street
San Francisco, California 94110

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Sarah de Sousa
351 Whispering Oaks
Spring Branch, Texas 78070

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10495 Dixie Hwy Apt 3
IRA Twp, Michigan 48023

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Christopher Mathewson
15 Birchgrove Road
Newark, Delaware 19702

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729 South 29th Street
South Bend, Indiana 46615

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800 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10021

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Gregory, Michigan 48137-9429

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137 Winchester Dr
Santa Rosa, California 95401-9137

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nancy spears
15 southgate drive
bossier city, Louisiana 71112

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fairview park, Ohio 44126

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196 Ridgeway Road
Lake Oswego, Oregon 97034

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Beacon, New York 12508

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532 RIVER ROAD
PUTNAM, Connecticut 06260

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8454 East Avenue
Gasport, New York 14067

Adams, Karen K NAE

1642

From: Renaymk@aol.com
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 6:50 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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16037 Glen Miro Dr.
Huntersville, North Carolina 28078

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1643

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Carol Collins
1935 Nault rOad
Dover, Delaware 19904

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1644

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Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 7:42 PM
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Richard Jaretsky
22 Parkway Ave
Clifton, New Jersey 07011-3604

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Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 7:59 PM
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Maria L Therese
6831 N Tripp Ave
Lincolnwood, Illinois 60712

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Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 8:20 PM
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Shannon McCarthy
6001 Palm Place Lane
Apt. 133
Tampa, Florida 33647

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Theresa Zimmer
P.O. Box 384
Pala, California 92059

164B

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Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 8:38 PM
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ROBERT STREBECK
509 ARANSAS
EULESS, Texas 76039

1649

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Jennifer Johnston
1513 Hightop Trl
Knoxville, Tennessee 37923

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From: CPA565@ATT.NET
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 9:41 PM
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Ann-Marie DiGennaro
857 Grand Street
Brooklyn, New York 11211

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From: rivka62@hotmail.com
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 10:47 PM
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Rebecca Long
61 May Ave.
P.O. Box 353
Chauncey, Ohio 45719

1652

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A. DeClario, Ph.D.
P.O. BOX 2534
MALIBU, California 90265

1653

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Sara DeBeaumont
822 Pinedale Dr
Spearfish, South Dakota 57783

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:55 AM
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Terri Ducay
505 Embarcadero Road
Palo Alto, California 94301

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From: ginny133@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 7:33 AM
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Virginia Douglas
133 Brandtson Ave
Elyria, Ohio 44035-3931

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Cynthia Munton
406 Danville Avenue
Colonial Heights, Virginia 23834

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 8:58 AM
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PAT HUBER
281 UNION
CRYSTAL LAKE, Illinois 60014

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 9:05 AM
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Ciara Smyth
39 Avon Circle
Rye Brook, New York 10573

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Kemira Barlowe
4040 w. Bugleview Drive
Tallahassee, Florida 32317

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1660

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 10:07 AM
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ashley mitchell
368 country club road
keysville, Virginia 23947

1661

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 11:10 AM
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Kaycee Kennedy
11082 Iris Dr.
Garden Grove, California 92840

1662

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From: DELUCALM@TUHS.Temple.edu
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 11:27 AM
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Leonora De Luca
837 S Cedar Road
Rockledge, Pennsylvania 19046

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1663

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 12:21 PM
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1078 Pine Grove Ave.
Atlanta, Georgia 30319

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1664

From: al07122@students.salisbury.edu
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:04 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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Amanda Lewis
105 Whayland dr.
Hebron, Maryland 21830

1665

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 1:11 PM
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Angela Kelichner
9 Pine Street
#2
Kearny, New Jersey 07032

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Arianne Avery
1725 Dancers Ct
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464

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1667

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 2:06 PM
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Eve Van Til
1445 Hamlet
Columbus, Ohio 43201

166B

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 2:30 PM
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1518 5th ave w #D
Seattle, Washington 98119

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 2:59 PM
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Michelle Cook
509 River Run Drive
Atlanta, Georgia 30350

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 4:05 PM
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Michele Silvey
2255 Winter Pkwy #125
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221

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1671

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 6:09 PM
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Toni Ritter
948 Division Street
Huntington, Indiana 46750

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8001 austin avenue
schererville, Indiana 46375

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Mary Carnagio
377 Council Trail
Lake in the Hills, Illinois 60156

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 7:15 PM
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Sarah Dow
85 Strathmore Rd #43
Brighton, Massachusetts 02135

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 8:26 PM
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jill becker
18512 ne 137th st
woodinville, Washington 98072

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 10:06 PM
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maryanne north
328 seneca street
lester, Pennsylvania 19029

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1677

From: SYSMAN@FUSE.NET
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 7:29 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Ray Kroger
610 Carrington Place
#207
Loveland, Ohio 45140

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From: amccallion@dilsheimer.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 8:02 AM
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Ann McCallion
3721 Old Black Horse Pike
Williamstown, New Jersey 08094

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Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 9:31 AM
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Sherry Frey-Brown
202 Mulberry Place
Douglassville, Pennsylvania 19518

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Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2004 9:19 PM
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Stephanie Wilson
19274 E. 800th ave
Willow Hill, Illinois 62480

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1681

From: mfisher@collegis.com
Sent: Friday, December 03, 2004 5:00 PM
To: Energy, Wind
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Maria Fisher
910 Stone Creek
Longwood, Florida 32779

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Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 2:01 PM
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David Dunkleberger
1290 Almshouse Road
Apt. # 628
Doylestown, Pennsylvania 18901

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Judith C. Simon
6840 136th Street Apt. B
Kew Garden Hills, New York 11367

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Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 2:25 PM
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PO Box 53
Aurora, Oregon 97002

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Rock Tavern, New York 12575

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: niloant@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 8:24 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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Jill Foster
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Brick, New Jersey 08724

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Edlyn Garcia
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Warrenville, Illinois 60555

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Lisa Alford

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Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 4:15 PM
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Sincerely,

Kristine Snemyr
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Sincerely,

Jfan Rouse
7102 E. Creeks Edge Drive
Wilmington, North Carolina 28409

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Suemommie@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 2:09 AM
To: letters@capecodonline
Cc: comments@saveoursound.org
Subject: editorial

Editor,

My heart goes out to the residents who are fighting so hard to save Nantucket sound from industrialization, but my frustration with their strategy grows deeper every day, because they're not utilizing the one thing that might end their struggle...knowledge.

Mounting data from around the world continues to reveal that wind, on a commercial level, will not reduce dependence on oil, will not lower pollution levels, and will not contribute towards easing any environmental dilemma we face today. It's technically impossible. Thousands of turbines would have no affect, and our problems would continue to worsen.

The wind industry lobbied hard to emerge an avenue to compliance with new laws aimed at carbon reduction, laws they helped write, laws naming targets as "percentages of power generated with renewable sources," rather than "percentages of lowered pollution levels." Works out pretty well for them.

And it would work for the opposition too, if they would just make folks aware. They could put an end to the tired rhetoric, *"some argue about aesthetics, but others stand up for their sons and daughters overseas....."* Jeeez.

Those pushing for development are well meaning and doing it for all the right reasons, but their expectations will never be realized, because the wind industry is misleading all of us. Look at the facts. Look at the data. And the thing won't get built.

Sue Sliwinski
East Concord, NY
716-592-1403

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Jane Stephenson [jwsteph@earthlink.net]
Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 11:30 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE; admin@saveoursound.org
Subject: DEIS on Cape Wind

--- Jane Stephenson
--- jwsteph@earthlink.net
--- EarthLink: The #1 provider of the Real Internet.

Dear Karen Adams,

I write to request you to extend the public comment period on the DEIS for the proposed Cape Wind Project to 180 days. The public needs at least this period to provide input on such an important and lengthy document on this complex and controversial endeavor.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Jane and William Stephenson

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Wayne Eckerson [weckerson@dw-institute.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 8:49 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Ballet

To Whom It Concerns,

Governor Romney revealed himself as an elite when he voiced opposition to the Nantucket Sound wind farm for "aesthetic reasons." A governor who serves the interests of his citizens should jump at the chance to provide safe, clean energy in this era of rising oil prices and Middle East volatility.

Before evaluating the aesthetics of alternative energy sources, the jet-setting Romney should spend some time closer to home in Somerset, Sandwich, Salem, Everett, Holyoke, and Quincy which live under the shadow of smoke-belching power plants. Without alternative energy, Bay State will need more of these monsters – hopefully, next time in the governor's backyard.

So, instead of seeing a blight on Nantucket Sound, Romney should see a ballet of wind, light, waves, and blades where man and nature merge harmoniously in a dance of perpetual energy and rhythm. What elite could resist those aesthetics?

Wayne Eckerson
Hingham, MA

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Bjdurk@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 12:33 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Comments

CAPE WIND WILL CHANGE MY PLANS

I am the face of the tourist. I am the camera carrying; Bermuda short wearing; awkward driving summer phenomenon, whose presence you curse; but whose funds you covet. I handle travel plans for my family. I select summer vacation destinations that do not include air travel; and that are within a reasonable drive time. My favorite respite has always been Cape Cod. The scenic beauty of the horizon AS IS, and the ocean lure me back every summer.

The scenic beauty, in this tourist's eyes, will be forever changed if the seascape is to include 130 wind towers. I would prefer to remember the Cape as a place of natural beauty. I would rather not cross the bridge again, than to witness first hand the destruction of my favorite getaway.

Sincerely,
Barbara Durkin
48 Moore Lane
Northboro, MA 01532 508 393-1715

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: IrishHomestead1@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 6:17 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Associates

The question remains as to the impropriety of the questionable Wind Energy Study being paid for by the Cape Wind Associates. No answer has been satisfactorily given thereby encouraging a highly suspect attitude by many. What really upsets me the most, over and above the alarming evidence is that the Cape Winds Associates is a limited liability firm. Should disaster strike, at what great expense over and above such limit would be shoved on to the residents at risk. Opening a large can of worms by deeding the rights of a public owned waterway to a profit making company allows an open door policy to all other who are wish to gain also. It doesn't take an Einstein to know that that the livelihood, quality of life issues should come before so called progress. The Wind Farms in other countries are on land. I stress the word LAND. Let us not forget that Denmark is having problems with their Wind Farms. Is this unspoken information to be hidden from the public?

As for oil spills, where and what will happen when one of the transformers leaks? And It will. They all do. Not much information has been truly place in the public's view, not to mention some of the important impacts, such as the Gaming Commission being ignored. Something smells. Is this the way our government will response to citizens who care about something besides making money for one small concern? It appears so.

I urge you to move cautiously. Our lives are at stake as well as your reputation. to look out for the benefit of all.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and I look forward to your reply.

Eileen M. Hughes
7 Niagara Lane
West Yarmouth, MA 02673 E-mail irishhomestead1@aol.com

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Terrence McAteer [terry266@comcast.net]
Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 3:37 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Associates LLC Energy Plan

I recommend the ARMY Corp of Engineers approve the Cape Winds project on Cape Cod. The long term outlook for alternative energy sources hangs in the balance with your decision. The US needs to develop more alternative energy sources now. The few folks that are opposing this project are typical of the mind set here in Massachusetts. They will jump on any project just to slow progress down.

Suggest doing the right thing and move out on this venture

Terrence McAteer

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Andy Wood [andyw2@comcast.net]
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 6:54 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Energy Project - Take It Out West

West of San Francisco are some very large wind farms with possibly 30% of the mills stopped due to failure and lack of and maintenance and repair. No one is fixing the failed units because it is not economical - makes no business sense.

So, how about moving the Cape Wind Project, and its associated mills, out West to the farms that already exist, already have the permits, already did the environmental and bird studies, etc, etc.

This would give Cape Wind a great shot at determining if their technology can take us closer to another renewable energy source, or not, and at much less cost, since all the wind studies have been done and it will be built on solid ground.

Thanks for your time.
Andy Wood
21 Wilson Road
Bedford, MA 01730
781-275-7725

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Stephen [mvtvstephen@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 9:24 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind Farm Comment

Dear Karen Adams:

Everyone agrees clean renewable energy is good.

The single greatest objection to the Cape Wind Associates project is visual pollution. When you get right down to it - the visual pollution is directly related to the economics of the project.

Cape Wind could, for instance, build 150 foot windmills that no one could see at 5 or 10 miles. Non visible 150 foot windmills are probably not efficient enough to make economic sense. You could also build windmills 25 miles offshore from land, but once again the cost of engineering and installation apparently exceed a sound economic plan.

One question might be; in the next 5-10 years will there be a more economical and less visual polluting solution that is better than what is presently proposed? Is there new technology around the corner that is a more viable solution? It would be a tragedy to build a giant thirty year plus industrial project if something better is around the corner. Can the Army Corps of Engineers consider potential future technology when making this decision?

There are some legal difficulties as well. How to lease the seabed floor? How to cable across the 3 miles of MA protected waters (MA General Laws Ch. 132A, Sections 13-16 prohibit this).

Can the Army Corps of Engineers override and approve a project that in part would be in violation with State Law? MA General Laws Ch. 132A, Sections 13-16 are pretty clear that the cable can not transverse on top of or in the subsoil in the protected areas.

Thank you.

Stephen Warriner
39 Pine Street
Edgartown, MA 02539
508-627-1213

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8 Dec., 2004

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
New England District
Cape Wind Energy EIS Project
Attn: Karen Kirk Adams
696 Virginia Road
Concord, MA 01742
Wind.energy@usace.army.mil

Dear Sirs:

I have downloaded much of your feasibility report on the Cape Wind Energy EIS Project, and from what I have read of it I am impressed by its comprehensiveness and fairness. I applaud you for your work thus far. Many problems very similar to those you address have already been confronted with considerable success at several of Denmark's new offshore wind farms, allowing us to profit from their experiences. Germany, the world leader in Wind Energy, is well on its way to replacing Atomic energy generated electric power with wind generators, including new very large ones placed off shore. Spain is also building off shore wind farms. Their experiences can save us both time and costly mistake

All this leads me to favor the Cape Wind Energy Project very strongly, but only if several additional criteria are met in advance of the Project's receiving final approval:

1) Responsible fiscal and administrative and legal arrangements are in place to assure the maintenance of the Wind Farm at or above agreed upon standards, including repairs needed for whatever cause or reason, during its projected lifetime (20 or more years).

2) Responsible fiscal and administrative and legal arrangements are in place to assure the Wind Farm's total dismantlement, full renovation, or replacement after its useful life time has been reached. The pilings on which the wind turbine towers are built must be massive and durable enough for use by successive generations of wind towers and turbines.

3) Responsible fiscal and administrative and legal arrangements are in place to assure that Cape and Islands electricity rate payers will not be especially burdened, penalized or taxed if the Cape Wind Energy Project goes bankrupt, or is damaged, or results in extensive ecological damage, for any and all unforeseen and unexpected reasons.

We cannot allow the Cape Wind Energy Project to be built and run "on the cheap." All indications are that the utilization of renewable "free" wind power involves very careful planning, construction, and maintenance. Although short term fiscal profits may be modest, must not allow the project developers run off with the lion's share (with more than a modest fair share) of whatever those profits may be.

The power and financial returns from wind turbine projects tend to increase exponentially both with their size, and with their proximity to power consumption centers. The proposed Cape Wind Energy project is ideally proximate to consumption centers, and is large enough to meet projected profitability criteria. It seems likely, however, that further permitting off shore wind farm sites will have to await clarification and updating of

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current federal offshore leasing and regulatory practices.

Tourists will be very curious to catch glimpses of the Cape Wind Energy wind turbines. Some may be horrified and others enthralled! Be that as it may, it behooves us who live and own property nearby, to monitor and question the Project's financing, ownership, regulation, construction, and operation every step of the way. We must be assured that we and our children can be proud of the working example Cape Wind Energy is setting for the nation and the world.

Sincerely yours,

Walter H. Sangree

Yes, "...in our back [*front*] yard!"

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Peter Wildermuth [petewildermuth@mac.com]
Sent: Sunday, December 05, 2004 9:19 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Cape Wind/DEIS

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:

I am writing in support of the Cape Wind Project and the findings of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The DEIS appears to be a thorough and comprehensive evaluation of the proposed site and it is clear that the few disturbances to ocean habitat and the sea bed during construction are far outweighed by the long term environmental and economical benefits to the Cape and Islands. The DEIS addresses all of the concerns that I have as a resident of the Cape. I would like to commend you on a job well done and I hope that this first major step in the permitting process will lead to construction of our country's first off shore wind farm. We need to set an example for the rest of the nation that we can independently produce clean energy and discontinue our reliance on dirty, outdated energy sources.

Sincerely,

Peter Wildermuth, Jr.
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West Dennis, MA
02670

12/10/2004

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: Wm Eddy [wwe@cape.com]
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 9:40 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Comment on the Cape Wind Proposal

STATEMENT:

When online, the Nantucket Sound windfarm will have electricity to sell. It can sell its electricity on the open market. It can sell it to NSTAR. It could sell it to the Cape Light Compact, our local energy aggregator.

The Cape Light Compact, formed in 1997, operates under the oversight of Barnstable County, with representatives from every town on Cape Cod and Martha's Vineyard and Dukes County. Early on, it developed a tremendously successful energy efficiency program. Over the last few years the Compact has been a major supplier of electricity to more than 50,000 residents of Cape Cod and Martha's Vineyard. In 2005 it will be able to supply electricity to all of us.

In March 2005, it will roll out a green energy option. This is significant and important and good. For a modest premium, residents can opt for either 50% or 100% of their electricity to come from renewable sources.

The Compact is emerging, step-by-step, as a powerful player in the energy field and as an increasingly stronger advocate for the interests of its constituents. It is, however, still limited in its ability to enter into contracts than are longer than a year. Presently, it can only purchase our electricity on the **retail** side of the energy market.

But were the Compact licensed by the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy to become a **wholesale** purchaser of electricity and be allowed, thereby, to enter into long-term contracts with energy suppliers, the full potential of the Compact would be realized.

The Compact could contract with Cape Wind. As a result, up to three-quarters of the power mix could be from a renewable resource and purchased at a fixed price for a decade or more. It would be like having a fixed-rate mortgage in an otherwise volatile and ever more costly market. The savings to all of the residents on the Cape and Martha's Vineyard would be substantial – millions of dollars of savings over the life of the project.

Local generation of power should result in substantial local benefits.

COMMENT: In addition to the savings from the windfarm spread out throughout the entire NE power grid, there could be substantial local savings. This fact needs to be incorporated into the final document. Thank you.

The Rev. Wm. Eddy
Board Member, Clean Power Now
President, Cape and Islands Self-Reliance

12/10/2004

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: mck6@geneseo.edu
Sent: Wednesday, December 08, 2004 9:33 PM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
Subject: Ensure 'Cape Wind' Project Is Safe for Wildlife

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Mila Kundu
10 North St
Geneseo, New York 14454

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Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 12:09 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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maureen casey
po box 1676
north falmouth, Massachusetts 02556

Adams, Karen K NAE

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From: mollywight@msn.com
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 10:45 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Sincerely,

Molly Wight
4901 E. Kelton Lane
#1089
Scottsdale, Arizona 85254

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Adams, Karen K NAE

From: sverner@redeemer.org
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 10:33 AM
To: Energy, Wind NAE
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Adams, Karen K NAE

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Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2004 10:28 AM
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Sincerely,

Kathleen Lindsay
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Chicago, Illinois 60626

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